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CLASS HONORS TO TWO GIRLS

GRACE WESTFALL AND MILDRED SANDISON LEAD GRADUATES.

CLASS DAY TOMORROW

Valedictory, Salutatory and Other Features in Senior Program at High School.

Grace Westfall and Mildred Sandison, members of the spring graduating class of the Maryville high school, have won the highest scholastic honors their class could give them. They are, respectively, valedictorian and salutatorian.

Miss Westfall, during her four years in high school, made a record of thirty-one E (excellent) grades, and two S (satisfactory) grades. Miss Sandison made twenty-five E grades and ten S grades.

The valedictorian is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westfall, 1322 East Third street, while the salutatorian is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sandison of Huntsville, Mo., but has been making her home with her grandmother, Mrs. O. B. Holliday, 309 West First street, while attending school here.

Both Are Contest Winners.

Miss Westfall won the American history contest at the State Teachers College recently and represented her school in that event at the state contests at Columbia. She is a member of the History Club, Ciceronian Latin Club, Drama Club, and the Hiking Club.

Miss Sandison won first in the short-story at the State Teachers College during the recent contests, and was in the Maryville play, "Ashes of Roses," that won first place. She is editor of the "Maryvillian," annual publication of the senior class, which is expected to be ready for distribution tomorrow. She stands high in other activities of the school.

It was pointed out that both of the honor graduates are strong students in Latin.

Six other students have made enviable scholastic records during their four years in high school. Not a boy found a place on the list. They are:

Geraldine Hunt, twenty-five E, six S, one M; Mary Frances Lasell, fifteen E, eighteen S; Mary Jackson, nine E, twenty-four S; Marzella Clary, fifteen E, thirteen S, four M; Doris Walker, five E, twenty-nine S; Mary Donna Madotte, seven E, twenty S, and seven M.

Both the valedictorian and salutatorian will be heard in addresses at the Class Day exercises to be presented by the spring graduating class at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the auditorium of the high school. This is a change from past years, when the valedictory has been given in connection with the commencement exercises.

The Class Day program follows: Processional, Genevieve Miller, Senior Song, Class of '28, Roll Call, Marzella Clary, Salutatory, Mildred Sandison, Quartet, Mary Alice Jones, Marzella Clary, Mary Appleman, Wilma Frankum.

Class Statistics, Neva Wilkerson, Valedictory, Grace Westfall, Violin duet, Eleanor Nicholas, Geraldine Hunt, Mantle Oration, Wilbur Frankum, Class poem, Dorothy Bailey, Prophecy, Class, Presentation of Gift, Erman Barrett, Recessional, Genevieve Miller.

SAY WABASH WILL RETURN TO OLD TIME

Change to Go Into Effect Sunday, According to Rumors—No Official Confirmation.

Changes in the time of Wabash trains No. 2 and No. 3 continued to be rumored. Trainmen and postal clerks are talking of the change and say that the new time card, which will be practically the same as before the last change, will go into effect Sunday.

However, Wabash officials here say they have received no official information regarding the change.

The rumor is that No. 2, which leaves here for the east at 6:30 o'clock in the morning, will be routed out of Omaha, getting here about 10:55 a. m. It would go to Brunswick and return, arriving here about 7:40 o'clock at night and going on to Omaha, as formerly.

J. O. Miller Buys Lot; To Build Home

J. O. Miller has purchased the lot on the west side of Dunn street, between West Third and Fourth streets, which was the property of J. F. Montgomery. The deal was closed this morning.

Mr. Miller intends to begin breaking ground as soon as possible for the construction of a new residence.

Reed Davis of Graham was in Maryville this morning.

Honor Graduates at M. H. S.



GRACE WESTFALL



MILDRED SANDISON

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LAMKIN HURT IN ACCIDENT

COLLEGE PRESIDENT SUFFERS BROKEN CLAVICLE.

CAR GOES INTO DITCH

Wheel Slips From Wet Pavement Mile South of City—Walks Home, Then Taken to Hospital.

Uel W. Lamkin, president of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, suffered injuries early this morning when his Buick sedan turned over in the ditch beside Highway No. 71, about a mile south of the Engelmann greenhouses, near the "old Burns farm."

Wes Bagley, who was with him, suffered only a minor scratch on his foot.

Mr. Lamkin suffered a fractured clavicle (collar bone) a cut over his left eyebrow, a slight wound on his left foot, and a slight scratch on his left hand. He was taken to the St. Francis hospital, where he spent the night and where an X-ray was taken of the fractured bone. He was removed by his physician this morning to his home on the state Teachers College campus, where he was reported resting comfortably.

The educator had gone to Helena, Mo., which is in Andrew county, east and slightly south of Savannah, to deliver a commencement address. It was on the trip home that the automobile accident happened.

Mr. Lamkin was driving. The car was coming north down the hill about a half mile south of the Pastime Stables, when the right front wheel went off the slab paving onto the earthen shoulder of the road. Mr. Lamkin turned his steering wheel sharply to get the machine back on the pavement, and when the car was brought over on the wet paving it started to whip back and forth, finally turning over on its top in the ditch on the east side of the road.

The car was turned facing the south. The body was wrecked, but the wheels, fenders and engine were left intact. Mr. Lamkin and his companion walked to their homes from the scene of the accident and called a garage to get the car into town. Mr. Lamkin then was taken to the hospital.

The auto wreckers were called about 1 o'clock this morning and worked until 5 a. m. to get the car towed into Maryville.

Falls 1,000 Feet in Plane; Little Injured

A. M. Carter, Sioux City, Ia., Son of Couple Here, in Crash at Mitchell, S. D.

A. M. Carter of Sioux City, Ia., son of Mr. and Mrs. French Carter of this city, suffered slight cuts and bruises in an airplane accident at Mitchell, S. D., last Friday. According to a news dispatch from Mitchell, the airplane, Spirit of South Dakota, in which Carter was a passenger, plunged 1,000 feet and landed, a tangled mass of wreckage. Three other men who were in the plane including the pilot, escaped injury.

"FIRST LADIES" NEXT WEEK.

Announcement Saturday that a series of articles about the wives of presidential candidates would begin in today's Democrat-Forum was in error. The articles are not to begin until next Tuesday, May 22. They are worth waiting for.

Another error was made in announcement of the opening of the baseball season at Tarkio. The opening will be next Tuesday instead of today.

TO MEET ON BAND TONIGHT

CITY COUNCIL TO RECEIVE PROPOSAL FOR ELECTION.

PETITION IS ENLARGED

161 Names Added to Request for a Vote on One-Mill Levy for Support of Musicians.

The city council will meet in special session tonight for the introduction of an ordinance calling for a special election for the purpose of voting on a proposed one-mill levy for a city band fund.

This announcement was made by Mayor W. O. Garrett this afternoon, following the filing of a petition with the required number of names, requesting the council to order a special election for this purpose. The petition was taken around the city this morning by Ed Arnold and 161 additional names were added to the petition filed recently.

The petition was filed with 105 names a few days ago, but the Mayor ruled it was necessary to have 10 per cent of the qualified voters sign the petition before action could be taken.

Seventeen days must elapse before final passage of the ordinance, Mayor Garrett said. He thought advertisement of the election could be made after the seven days the ordinance has to "lay on the table."

Those who signed to petition today: E. C. Kessler, W. F. Donahue, H. W. Kramer, Clark Scott, Ernest Kutulas, P. R. Marcell, T. G. Robinson, Carl Tarpley, Lawrence Masters, E. L. Padgett, Sam Johnson, Sam Bithos, T. R. O'Grady, Lester Babb, Ray Wilson, Lloyd Geist, S. T. Gile, J. H. Gray, W. D. Heckin, John Price, Jr., L. D. Partridge, A. Blue, Lida G. Ambrose, Gladys R. Ford, Bernice McFarland, Anna Staples, Anna Anderson, Sid Masters, E. A. Nelson, Earl Phillips, W. B. Whitney, Cecil Hubbard, R. W. Brownfield, W. C. Brown, R. R. Moody, H. A. Funderburk, L. E. Ziegler, O. A. Bennett, Fred W. Smith, J. S. Donahue, M. L. Butler, Claude Grimes, G. E. Brumbaugh, Dr. J. L. Baker, John Z. Curpitt, L. C. Foreman, L. A. Masters, W. T. Van Cleave, Mrs. William Van Cleave, E. O. Henderson, C. O. Miller, F. S. Weaver, Emmett Carram, Jos. W. Cornell, Gay Leeper, Lois Cummings, Mrs. Sam Bithos, Gladys New, Maude Hill, W. E. Westfall, Mrs. Mary Belle Rice, William B. Price, Fred L. Knox, W. A. Saunders, Mae McCoy, George W. Aley, Alfred Shackelford, E. C. Swinford, Wilbur A. Allen, P. D. Dietz, Agatha Kretsch, Permelia Eads. (Continued on page 4).

Fred Neuffer, World War Veteran, Dead

Heart Trouble Fatal to Son of Mr. and Mrs. August Neuffer, Near Graham.

Fred Neuffer died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Neuffer, three miles north of Graham, at 9 o'clock last night after an illness of several months. Death was caused by heart trouble, from which he had suffered since the World War, in which he contracted rheumatism.

Mr. Neuffer was 34 years old. He was born near Graham and spent nearly all of his life there.

He is survived by his parents, six sisters and one brother. They are: Mrs. Carrie Hester and Mrs. Charles Duncan, Montana; Mrs. Katie Smock, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Fred Snyder, Stanberry; Mrs. Marvin Lowrance, Skidmore; Mrs. Rexie Horn, Graham; and Charles Neuffer, Graham.

Funeral arrangements had not been made this morning.

NATIONAL AIR LINE PLANNED

PROPOSED SYSTEM WOULD USE PLANES AND FAST TRAINS.

TO FLY ONLY BY DAY

Pennsylvania Railroad and National Air Transport Co. Backers of New Organization.

New York, May 15.—A national transportation system—combining airplanes and fast passenger trains—has been planned with the idea of placing San Francisco within 48 to 52 hours of New York.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh has been approached with the idea of heading the new organization but thus far has decided against connecting himself in any way with commercial airplane organizations.

The plan as considered now would include the Pennsylvania railroad, the National Air Transport Company and possibly the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad and either the Boeing or the Western Air Transport Airplane Companies. C. M. Keyes, president of the Curtis Aeroplane and Motor Company, is actively interested, while Blair and Company, New York banking house, has become the fiscal agents. Definite announcement is expected soon.

Air by Day, Train by Night.

Passengers now are carried from coast to coast by the air mail companies but pilots are disinclined to take passengers on the night flights.

The tentative plans call for a program that would have a passenger leave New York in a regular airplane, operating on a schedule synchronized with railroad schedules, and make a day flight to Chicago.

At Chicago the passenger would be transferred to a fast passenger train for the night trip. The following morning the passenger would transfer to airplane and perfect schedules would be kept for the entire journey.

Alternate Schedule.

An alternate schedule would be for the passenger to leave New York by rail in the evening and transfer to a plane at Columbus the next morning for a day trip to Wichita, Kan. There he would transfer to the Santa Fe railroad for a night trip to New Mexico, where he would board a train for the final lap to the coast, reaching Los Angeles in the evening, 48 hours after leaving New York.

The air sections of the journey would be made in 14-passenger, multi-motored cabin planes, equipped with restaurant service.

The operating company of the new service is reported to have been capitalized at \$5,000,000.

Plans Still Tentative.

Plans are still in a tentative state and it has not been decided definitely what railroads and airlines in the west would operate with the National Air Transport and the Pennsylvania Railroad in the east.

Colonel Lindbergh lauded the idea of the new national transportation system and said he thought it would work out well. However he said he was not yet ready to go into commercial airplane business, feeling he could be of more aid to aviation in the undertakings he already has begun.

3 Planes on Continental Trip.

Chicago, May 15.—Plane No. 1 of the three passenger planes being flown from New York to California left Municipal Airport here at 8:30 C. S. T., today, continuing its trip to San Francisco.

The plane, piloted by Silas Morehouse, carried ten passengers. Its next stop probably will be at Omaha, Neb., although it may continue on to Denver.

Auto Supply Company Leases Quarters Here

Chain Concern to Open for Business in M. Sturm Building at Main and Second.

The Marshall U. S. Auto Supply, Inc., has taken a year's lease on the north side of the M. Sturm building, at the corner of North Main and Second streets, and will be open for business within the next three weeks.

The concern has three stores at St. Joseph, the headquarters city, one at Lawrence, one at Leavenworth and one at Atchison. H. V. Penland, of St. Joseph, who will be manager of the Maryville branch, said the concern carries a full line of automobile accessories. He said a lease had been taken on the building with an option of a longer term.

The other half of the store is occupied by the Estes grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Penland will move to Maryville and make their home here.

Peter Noblett Seriously Ill.

Peter Noblett, Graham, who has been ill for a long time, was reported in a most serious condition today.

ANTI-HOOVER MAN QUIZZED

EDITOR OF "POLITICS" BEFORE SENATE COMMITTEE.

CHARGES "HUSH" VISIT

Attempt Made to Stop Attacks, Harry N. Price Says.—Losing \$500 a Day.

Washington, May 15.—Harry N. Price, editor of "Politics," an anti-Hoover paper, charged before the Senate campaign investigating committee today that two secretaries of Secretary of Commerce Hoover had attempted to "enter an arrangement whereby we would not oppose Mr. Hoover."

"Frank J. Hale (published of the paper) told me he was waiting on at the Willard Hotel here and they wanted to know why we were opposing Mr. Hoover while all the other papers were friendly," Price said.

"Hale didn't give them any satisfaction. He told me they told him the country would be too hot for him if Mr. Hoover was elected President."

Names Two Secretaries.

"Who were the men who talked to Mr. Hale?" Senator Bratton, Democrat of New Mexico, asked.

"I understand that they were Mr. Ritchie and Mr. Akerson."

Lawrence Ritchie and George Akerson are personal secretaries to Hoover. Price volunteered the charge as he was leaving the stand after a 90-minute examination concerning financing of his paper by Hale, former actor and prohibition agent.

George B. Lockwood, former secretary to the Republican national committee, now associated with Hoover-for-President headquarters, testified he was a volunteer worker, had received no money and raised no campaign funds.

Only One Worker Paid.

A dozen workers have been sent into the field, he said, but only one "a Mr. McIntosh, sent into West Virginia" received any compensation.

The financing of the anti-Hoover magazine was probed by the Senate committee.

Price testified Hale, a New Yorker, had put up the money but he did not know where Hale got financial backing. Price said the paper had lost \$500 a week since its first issue January 7. Perhaps 100,000 issues of a reprint were circulated in Minnesota before the primary there, he said. George N. Peake, American council for agriculture ordered 5,000 copies of another issue.

Copies to Convention Delegates.

Copies have been sent to all convention delegates of both the Republican and Democratic conventions, he said.

Hale is now out of town but will be called later.

"I don't know where Mr. Hale gets the money," said Price. "I assume he has considerable means."

Chairman Steiwer read to the witness one "Society Item" from the paper stating, "Mr. Hoover donned his London rain togs, of which he has many through his long residence aboard and went to the Floyd Bennett funeral."

"I have been opposed to Mr. Hoover because I do not believe he is a good American or a good Republican," Price said.

Smith Contributors Called.

The committee has subpoenaed Herbert Lemman and William Todd, contributors to the Smith campaign. Lehman gave \$10,000 and Todd \$5,000. They will appear with the other Smith witnesses tomorrow.

Clarence Buck, manager of the Lowden campaign, has been called for Thursday with former Representative Woodward, West Virginia, now in charge of the Hoover campaign there. Former Governor McKelvie of Nebraska will be heard this afternoon concerning his charges against the campaign of Senator Norris, of Nebraska.

Bill Authorizes U. S. to Acquire Railroad

Washington, May 15.—A bill authorizing the Interstate Commerce Commission to acquire by purchase or condemnation a complete coast to coast railroad system to be operated by the government corporation was introduced in the Senate today by Senator Brookhart, Republican of Iowa.

The corporation would issue \$1,000,000 capital stock which would be divided into 100 shares and sold to employees of the railroad.

Baseball Scores

National League.

Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh, 1; 6th. New York, 4; Chicago, 1; 4th. Philadelphia, 1; Cincinnati, 1; 3rd.

American League.

Detroit, 4; New York, 8; 6th. St. Louis, 1; Boston, 3; 9th. Cleveland, 0; Philadelphia, 5; 8th.

American Association.

Louisville, 2; Toledo, 2; 3rd. Indianapolis, 0; Columbus, 4; 3rd.

TODAY'S RAIN A GREAT BOON TO ALL CROPS

Steady Soaking Places It in Million-Dollar Class, Experts Say—4 Inch at 6 A. M.

Another of the "million dollar rains" fell generally over Nodaway county last night and this morning, J. Ross Fleetwood, county extension agent, said today. J. R. Brink, official weather observer, said the rainfall was four tenths of an inch up to 6 o'clock this morning.

However, a light but steady rain continued to fall after that time.

The moisture was greatly needed, and will be of much benefit to the crops and gardens. The fields this spring are in the best shape that he has seen them, W. R. Tilson, circuit clerk, said yesterday, after an extended trip over the south part of the county Sunday.

More Moisture Needed in Ozarks.

Joplin, Mo., May 15.—Despite the light rain which is benefiting the strawberry crops of the Ozarks, more moisture is needed in the belief of P. A. Rogers, sales manager of the Ozark Fruit Growers Association.

POWER TRUST TURNS CENSOR

SEEKS TO REMOVE "OBJECTIONABLE" BOOKS FROM SCHOOLS.

A SURVEY IN MISSOURI

Investigation of Activities in Iowa Reveals Similar Movement in This State.

Washington, May 15.—Washington officials of telephone and telegraph companies have been subpoenaed to testify in the Federal Trade Commission utilities investigation regarding all messages to and from the Washington office of the joint committee of national utilities association, it was learned today.

Washington, May 15.—Surveys of text books used in Iowa public schools and efforts made by utilities interests to eliminate books considered objectionable were described today in the federal trade commission's utilities investigation.

Joe Carmichael, director of the Iowa committee on public utilities information, testified that his committee made a survey of text books in 1924 and again in recent months.

He denied the survey was part of a nation-wide movement to supervise text books, but admitted his committee had obtained information regarding similar surveys in Illinois and Missouri.

The survey, he said, revealed the books contained many statements regarded as unfavorable to the utilities, but he at first denied that the committee itself took any steps to have these books removed.

Confronted with a letter he wrote the Pennsylvania committee in which he had said, "where we found books that were unfair we took the matter up with the local school officials either through the local utility managers or directly," Carmichael said he could not recall that he had personally acted in the matter.

"We sent the report on the survey to the local utility managers for them to take any action they saw fit and in order that they might see their local (Continued on page 4).

Shoe Store and Cafe at Rosendale Burn

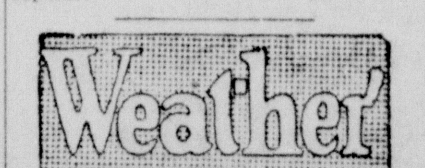
Fire, Discovered at 3:15 a. m., Destroys Two-Story Building and a Warehouse.

The I. D. Newton shoe store, Drydale's restaurant and a small warehouse were burned at Rosendale early this morning. The cause of this latest of Rosendale's series of conflagrations is not known. The fire was discovered at 3:15 o'clock by Edward Griffith.

The building in which the restaurant and the shoe store are housed was a two-story frame structure. It was owned by Mrs. Bales.

A few things were saved from the shoe store, but nothing was saved from the restaurant nor from the warehouse, which was the property of Watt's hardware store.

There was no insurance on the building. It was estimated that the shoe company's loss was \$500, according to reports.



Probably showers and local thunderstorms tonight and Wednesday. Not much change in temperatures.

SIGNS THE FLOOD BILL

PRESIDENT MAKES CONTROL MEASURE A LAW.

A HUGE UNDERTAKING

Curbing of the Mississippi Largest Engineering Feat Since the Panama Canal.

Washington, May 15.—President Coolidge signed today the \$325,000,000 Jones-Reid Mississippi flood control bill, designed to curb the mighty river which broke into its most disastrous flood a little over a year ago.

Signature of the measure released immediately \$10,000,000 made available under its terms, which will enable the new special flood board and the Mississippi river commission to begin plans for the gigantic project, the largest engineering feat since construction of the Panama Canal.

Additional funds for the first year's work probably will be included in the deficiency bill now being prepared in the House. The rest of the \$325,000,000 authorized will be appropriated from time to time as needed during the ten years which it is estimated will be required to complete the project. Much more than this amount may be needed before the work finally is completed.

To Appoint Third Member.

Before the supervising board can get down to actual work, President Coolidge must appoint its third member, a civilian engineer. The other two members are designated in the bill, the army engineer chief, Major General Edgar Jadwin, and the president of the Mississippi River Commission, Colonel Charles L. Potter, retired, who will be called to active duty and promoted to a brigadier-general.

Administration of the project will be in the hands of the Mississippi River Commission, a permanent body composed of army engineers and civilians which was created nearly fifty years ago.

Begin at Cape Girardeau.

Both provide an elaborate system of flood control from Cape Girardeau, Mo., to the Gulf, carried out by levees, floodways and spillways. They are dissimilar in some minor details. Work is also authorized on the Mississippi River between Cape Girardeau and Rock Island, Ill., but is not included in the project.

No local contributions are required for the construction work, but states must furnish rights-of-way for levees on the main river, flowage rights for floodways in areas that are not "natural floodways," and just furnish one-third the cost of any work done between Cape Girardeau and Rock Island, as well as later work on tributaries. The sum of \$10,000,000 is included for work between Cape Girardeau and Rock Island.

No tributary flood control is provided by the bill, but it authorizes surveys on tributaries looking to future flood control there, as well as surveys to determine the effectiveness of reservoirs for flood control.

Not Liable for Damage.

The government is not to be held liable for flood damage, but if levees built on one side of the river cause damage on the other, the government must pay for the damage or flowage rights. The states must maintain all flood control works after their completion.

The Secretary of War may acquire needed land by purchase donation or condemnation, condemnation proceedings to be instituted in federal district courts. The court will appoint three commissioners to "appraise the land, with court confirmation of the award required."

The bill also authorizes appropriation of \$5,000,000 as an emergency fund for rescue work on repair and maintenance of works of all tributaries, including repair of crevasses caused by the 1927 flood.

Some Objections Met.

The measure also modifies the Sacramento river, California, flood control project to increase the proportion borne by the federal government and the state from one-sixth to one-third each, with the local districts furnishing one-third. Local districts now contribute two-thirds.

The legislation has a stormy career. The President was not entirely satisfied by the measure as finally passed, but some of his objections were met in a series of conferences that interrupted progress of the bill from time to time.

W. C. Frank made a business trip to Kansas City today.

Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode went to St. Joseph today.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY

SCHOOLS AND PERSONALITY.

(Norman Thomas in Children's Magazine.)

It is good for us who are parents to be reminded that the primary responsibility for our children lies with us and by no possibility can it be put off on the schools. Nevertheless, under our modern scheme of things, it is quite true that the formal aspects of education are left largely in the hands of the schools and, therefore, we parents must work indirectly from other angles and set standards for the schools.

We have a right to require of the schools that they shall turn out personalities and not automatons. We must find a means of turning out men and women who can think. The question is not "How shall they acquire more brains?" but "How shall they use the brains they have?" That question ought to be asked of our schools, which should be as interested in answering it.

Discipline is necessary in ordering the lives of large numbers of people, either children or adults, but I confess I have stood on platforms in the auditoriums of public schools and watched everybody rise up together, and sit down together, and have wondered how much it had to do with education. I have seen principals stop the whole business because one child was a little later than the others in clicking up his seat, and I have thought to myself, "This is the type of regimentation that makes children hate schools, for one thing; for another, it helps to drill in this notion of conformity so that we gentlemen must all change to our straw hats simultaneously May 15 and lay them aside simultaneously September 15, and we must see to it that the hatrack on which we hang our hats is as nearly like our neighbor's as possible."

But we have a right to expect of our schools that they will turn out personalities, and that they will turn out boys and girls who have some vision of life and some desire to think about life and to understand life, not merely receptacles for predigested opinions and prejudices of any sort whatsoever.

We wish to have our children educated, not merely to be personalities, but to be personalities capable of loyalty, only we want the loyalty of conscious choice, not an automatic, unthinking, half slavish loyalty. All great loyalties of conscious choice; conscious devotion of one sort or another; and that we must seek.

According to the testimony before the senate committee investigating expenditures for presidential candidates, it appears that more money has been spent in the interest of Hoover and Al Smith than any of the others and Hoover and Al Smith in turn have more votes than any of the others. On the other hand, the people will spend more for those candidates whose chances look the best. They all want to get on a winner.

BARBS

Judging by recent elections in Chicago and Seattle, it's neither a good thing to lift the lid nor to nail it tight. The ideal seems to be to just leave the lid on—kind of loose.

The prohibition administrator in Chicago has notified restaurant proprietors that the word "brew" in signs is a violation of the Volstead act. Now if he would just tell the headline writers, maybe we'd have fewer of those heads starting with "Storm Brews."

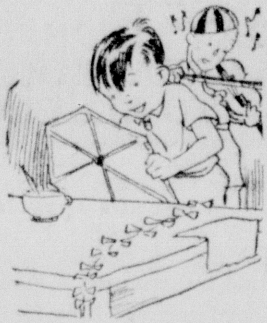
If the vogue of aliteration continues, Herbert Hoover will be our next president. Woodrow Wilson, Calvin Coolidge, Herbert Hoover—there you are.

President Coolidge declined a Dakota banker's invitation to take a plane ride the other day. He's not ready to take the air yet.

Five European editors are racing around the world. Bet they got the marriages mixed with the death notices.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN



"Mamma thought we was teasin' the cat, an' it was just Skinny doin' my violin practice for me while I fixed his kite."

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The Campaign Log

May 15.

By United Press.

Republican and Democratic state conventions were in session in Montana today. Early indications were the Democratic delegation would be instructed for Governor Smith and that there would be contest between those seeking an instructed delegation for Herbert Hoover and followers of Frank O. Lowden.

Wyoming Democrats instructed their delegation to the Houston convention to vote for Governor Alfred E. Smith for president and Mrs. Nellie Tayloe Ross, former governor, for vice president.

Workers for the candidacy of Herbert Hoover were called today to testify before the Senate campaign investigation committee.

Dr. Clarence True Wilson and Bishop James Cannon, speaking before the Methodist general conference in Kansas City urged against election of a president unfavorable to prohibition. Dr. Wilson mentioned Governor Smith as being opposed to prohibition.

State primaries were held today in New Jersey, with chief interest centering in state offices rather than selection of delegates to the national convention. Governor Smith will have endorsement of the state's Democratic delegates while the name of Secretary Hoover is the only one on the Republican presidential primary ballot.

State Bond Issue Attacked by Gary

Former Chairman of State Highway Commission Declares Proposal for "Special Interests."

Kansas City, Mo., May 15.—Theodore Gary, former chairman of the state highway commission, today in an address before the Citizens' League Council here delivered a scathing attack against the proposed \$75,000,000 state bond issue, characterizing it as a "bond proposition sponsored by special interests under the alluring guise of rushing to completion the state road system."

An advocate of the pay-as-you-go system, Gary said the proponents of the bond issue were spending money too freely; "it is my opinion that proponents of the bond issue will resort to anything that money can be used for to carry the proposition. Too bad the men can not be halted before the Teapot Dome committee," he said.

T. M. Cutler, chief engineer of the highway commission, speaking from the same platform, defended the bonds and outlined the highway commission's plans for speeding up road construction work. He said no greater justification for the bonds is needed than the fact that motor car owners of the state are saving \$50,000,000 a year in operating expenses due to hard surfaced roads already completed.

Prohibition Debated Two Hours in Senate

Washington, May 15.—Prohibition was debated more than two hours in the Senate today by Senators Black, Democrat, of Alabama, and Bruce, Democrat, of Maryland. Bruce denounced as "organized hypocrisy," the action of the Alabama Democratic convention in sending a dry delegation to the Houston convention. Black replied that Bruce is a preacher of "lawlessness and anarchy" and defended the state convention's action.

Note Blown Ninety Miles by a Tornado

Clarks, Neb., May 15.—A promissory note for \$900 was blown away when a tornado struck Clarks, May 2, officials of the State Bank of Clarks reported.

Today they received a communication from a farmer living near Stanton, Neb., ninety miles distant, saying the note had been found on his farm.

President and First Lady Go to Annapolis

Washington, May 15.—President and Mrs. Coolidge left here this afternoon by automobile for Annapolis to attend the colonial day celebration of St. John's College.

Cassville.—The bridge across the White River between Shell Knob and Viola is to be dedicated May 20.

ITALIA OFF FOR POLAR AREA TODAY

Dirigible Leaves for Franz Josef Land After Four Hours Delay for Engine Adjustment.

Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, May 15.—The Polar dirigible Italia, started at 1:20 p. m., today on a flight to Franz Josef land.

The Italia had been held in readiness for a momentary start for the polar area. A flight late last week, in which she started for Lenin's land, was abandoned because of blinding fog. In landing, the Italia's rear gondolas and the engines in them were damaged. Repairs were completed over the weekend.

General Umberto Nobile, the Italia's builder and commander, had been informed by Thomsen meteorological station that weather conditions now were good.

Thirteen men were in the big dirigible with Nobile when, amid cries of "Long live the Italia," from Italian members of the expedition on the landing field, the ship started.

Nobile tried to start the flight at 9 a. m. Preparations were made to take the Italia from her hangar, but one of the motors was not functioning properly and four hours of adjustment followed.

Japan's Declarations Submitted to League

For "Purely Informative Purpose" She Explains Military and Naval Action in China.

Geneva, May 15.—For "purely informative purposes," Japan today submitted to the League of Nations copies of two declarations made by the government at Tokio.

One explained the necessity for sending military and naval forces to Shantung Province, China. The other affirmed Japan's intention to withdraw the forces when they no longer were needed.

This was the first official intimation the League had had of the Japanese-Chinese crisis since the Chinese Nationalists government's appeal for intervention.

Methodists Argue on Foreign Ruling

Autonomy for Churches Out of U. S. Brings Heated Session—Subject Dropped Temporarily.

Kansas City, Mo., May 15.—One of the outstanding problems of the Methodist Episcopal Church—autonomy for churches in foreign fields—came up for heated discussion before the general quadrennial conference here today.

A special committee which had investigated the problem recommended to the delegates that churches in foreign lands, which have been established by American missionaries, should be allowed to choose their own bishops.

Dr. Lewis O. Martman, of Boston, chairman of the special committee, led the fight for adoption of the committee report. He said there had been a growing feeling for the last twenty years among Christians in China, India and other distant lands that they should be governed by native bishops.

"Church rule from America in a country like China especially is becoming increasingly objectionable," he said. After prolonged debate it was voted to set the question aside for several days to allow delegates additional time study the matter.

St. Louis Honors German-Irish Crew

Bremen Fliers Drop Flags Over Tomb of Abraham Lincoln: To Detroit Tomorrow.

St. Louis, Mo., May 15.—St. Louis has aroused itself from a post-Lindbergh celebration lethargy to accord the German-Irish crew of the transatlantic plane Bremen the next approach to a tumultuous reception.

A civic parade, a reception by Mayor Victor J. Miller, a ground-breaking ceremony at the proposed new German House here, luncheon with August A. Busch, the brewer, and a public dinner as the guests of the Chamber of Commerce tonight, comprised today's program.

The east-west conquerors of the Atlantic, Baron Guenther von Huenefeld, Major James Fitzmaurice and Captain Herman Koehl, arrived here by air late yesterday from Milwaukee after a 350-mile flight featured by material honors over the tomb of Abraham Lincoln at Springfield, Ill., where German and Irish flags were dropped.

Tomorrow von Huenefeld, Fitzmaurice and Koehl are scheduled to leave at 9:30 a. m., for Detroit.

Predicts Earthquake Morning of May 20

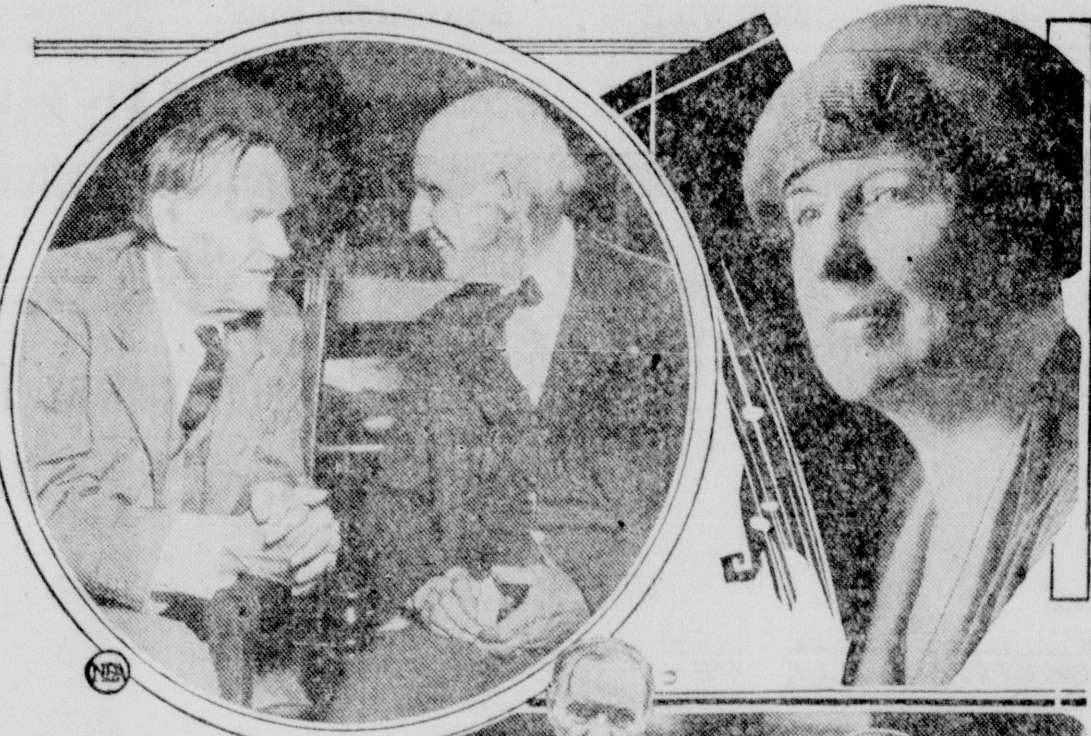
Faenza, Italy, May 15.—A great earthquake, that would be recorded on all seismographs in the world, was predicted today for the early morning of May 20 by Prof. Rafaele Bendandi, world-famous seismic expert.

Bendandi said the earthquake would be of strongest degree.

"Its accurate location," he said, "is most difficult. But very probably it will be felt in southern Siberia and the Mediterranean region, with slight repercussions in Italy and the central Andes mountains of South America."

Sarcoside—Peonies here are expected to be at their best from the sight-seers point of view between May 20 and 27.

"Anyway, the World's a Little More Liberal," Says Clarence Darrow, After Trying Last Case



Famous Lawyer, Now 71, to Quit Courts After Half Century at the Bar.

Jefferson, O., May 15.—A little more stooped, a little more tired, a little more sure of the fatality of life and its complete lack of meaning, but surer than ever that the human strong must protect the human weak, Clarence Darrow, 71, "Grand Old Man of the Law," came home to fight his last case the other day.

But even as he says it's "the last job," he adds that he doesn't really know whether it is or not. He has been a lawyer for a half century.

"Who of us ever knows what we will do in the future?" Darrow said. "I hope it's my last. I am tired. I want to rest a little, write, travel, study, shake the hands of old friends, do all the things the law has given me little time for this half century. But I suppose it—"

Clarence Darrow smiled over that "if." It epitomized his very philosophy which says that we are all what the "ifs" of our lives make us.

"If," Clarence Darrow has said again and again, and said to his old friends down home the other day, "if I had bought a house in Ashtabula I would have stayed there, never gone to Chicago, never got a city job, never got my name in the city papers, never got into big cases."

And then he smiled wearily.

"I suppose if something gets me all stirred up again I'll get on the job," he said. "But as far as freedom of choice goes right now, I hope not."

Wants to Quit, Says Wife.

"He's really sincere every time he says it's his last case, even if he does get back into action," Mrs. Darrow explained, as if fearing Clarence might have seemed to sing his swan song too often.

"He really thought Loeb and Leopold were the last, and he was sure Dayton was. But he's been sure so often and then found himself in it again that this time, when he thinks he's really through, he hesitates to say so."

"I certainly hope it. He needs complete rest and freedom, though I'm afraid he's the sort who'll never take it."

Mrs. Darrow laughingly quotes a newspaper description of herself as "Mr. Darrow's new young wife," and explains they have been married 24 years.

She "calculates to go with me on all my trips," according to the great attorney's whimsical explanation of her presence.

"She has to see that I get my bottle on time and have my bib on and have my booties dry," winked Darrow with a sly glance at his wife.

Mrs. Darrow has the same warmth of humanity as her husband. She has spent all the time possible back in her husband's home county, meeting his boyhood friends and relatives, looking up the old landmarks, and scouting through antique shops for pieces of old furniture made by Amiris Darrow, her husband's father, a cabinet maker.

In the very hotel in Kinsman, Darrow's birthplace, where Mr. and Mrs. Darrow had dinner the other night, they ate about a cherry table made by Darrow's father.

Darrow came here to defend James Munsene, the gum-chewing little bootlegger facing a term in the pen on a bribery charge, whose trial wouldn't have brought a visitor to the court room or a line in the paper if Clarence Darrow hadn't entered the case. Darrow won a mistrial, which was regarded as a virtual victory.

But as "Clarence Darrow's last trial," the little Jefferson courtroom contained just about the whole county, to say nothing of fellow members of the bar, reporters, photographers, all caught by the drama here.

There 50 Years Ago.

More than 50 years ago young Clarence Darrow had a case in this same courthouse. It was about a \$15 harness that somebody wouldn't pay for.

This \$15 harness case was tried twice in the justice of peace court, twice in the court of appeals, and once in the supreme court. Darrow won the case.

He chuckled over this tale with old cronies of the swimming hole and old friends of his "freethinker" father.

"Old Charlie Fobes" sat next to Darrow through one entire day of the trial. "Old Charlie," aged 84, was a



When Clarence Darrow went back to Jefferson, O., "to try his last case," he met a number of old friends of a half century ago, including "Uncle Charlie" Fobes, 84, with whom he is seen chatting in the picture above. On the right is Mrs. Darrow, who accompanied her famous husband. Below are Mr. and Mrs. Darrow on the courthouse lawn. Darrow took the case of James Munsene, alleged Jefferson bootlegger, "just because I wanted to try one more case in the old home town."

close friend of Darrow's father. He drove alone 34 miles to see "Old Man Darrow's boy."

Darrow seemed almost pathetic in his greeting to those who "knew him when." His eyes misted as he said there was nobody left but just friends and acquaintances. "I'm the last leaf on the tree—brothers, sisters, uncles, aunts, cousins, even my own pals all gone," he said. "Seems queer that it's a friend of my father's generation who's left to meet me."

His Idea of Life.
Darrow seemed even a little weary of ideas and philosophizing.

"The whole idea of living's so futile," he said. "What's the use of talking much about it? Just to be happy and avoid pain as we go along from day to day is about all any of us can do."

"Courtroom scenes and trials mean nothing but a preservation of our traditions, a continuation of the routine of our legends and folklore concerning the way things should be done."

"There is no such word as justice in our court procedures; merely a matter of smooth bookkeeping."

"The rich man in court? Everything goes to him, of course, unless he is too

rich. After all, the masses are poor, and mass judgment or blind prejudice is pretty powerful. A too-rich man is about as handicapped as a too-poor man, for the jury are up against public opinion which says, 'Just show us if money can buy a man's way out of prison!'"

The Jury System.

"The Grand Old Man of the Bar" does not quarrel with the jury system, nor does he see any prospect of a substitution.

"It's as good as any system and, after all, even the wrong jury doesn't mean much; so many more things enter into a trial—luck, circumstances, weather, what the attorneys had for breakfast, whether a cough takes place when the most critical word of testimony is given, and so on."

The fire-eating, thunder-shouting Darrow of Dayton, Tenn., days seemed almost gone. Darrow was mellow, genial, thoughtful, almost sad in these haunts of his boyhood. Slumped down in his chair, his straggling wisps of long hair over his face, he slept as the prosecutor tossed bouquets to "the greatest man of law of recent times."

"I'm through, though, I think," Darrow smiles. "Anyway, the world's a little more liberal, religiously speaking, than it was when the Scopes evolution trial was on. Now if we can only get somewhere with this damnable farce of prohibition!"

Last of John Brown Band Dies at Omaha

Thomas H. Tibbles, 90, Veteran and Once Populist Vice-Presidential Candidate Is Dead.

Omaha, May 15.—Thomas H. Tibbles, 90, believed to be the last member of John Brown's abolition forces, is dead here. Tibbles, who ran away from his home in Washington County, Ohio, when 6 years of age was picked up by an immigrant wagon and taken to Kansas, where for a while he was a member of Brown's band.

Later Tibbles became famous as vice-presidential nominee on the Populist ticket in 1904 and for his work in behalf of the Indians. He was one of the few white men of the country to be made a brother in an Indian blood fraternity. This honor came after he had married Susette La Flesche, the Indian girl Longfellow characterized "Bright Eyes," in Minnehaha.

Tibbles spent most of his life in journalism. He was editor of the Independent at Lincoln and for many years has been editorial writer on the Omaha World Herald.

Barry County Canning Outlook Good.

Cassville.—Outlook for the canning business in Barry County is more favorable than a year ago, in the opinion of business men here. Five towns in the county now have canning factories.

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SOCIETY

B. B. Club.

The B. B. Club will meet with Miss Nellie Cox, 937 South Main street in an all-day meeting, Thursday.

Wesleyan Class.

The Wesleyan Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at the church at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Have Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Shinabargar entertained the following guests Sunday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Shinabargar of Bethany; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Panty, Lennox, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shinabargar of Skidmore; Mr. Jess and Miller Shinabargar of Maryville; Miss Dorothy Harmon of Savannah; Claude Cordelia and Mary Shinabargar, Alfred and Harrison Panty, Mr. Monroe Kenkel and Fred Cohnand, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lippman and family.

Sunday Guests.

Sunday guests at the N. S. Shull home in Skidmore were: Mrs. Peter Garrahan and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Courtney of Agency; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Riley and daughter, Gower; Mrs. Lee Beverlin and family, Mound City; Mrs. Homer Beverlin and son, Lawrence, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Slawson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Iddings and family, C. H. Beverlin, George Owens, George Beverlin and Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Shull.

Afternoon callers were: Mrs. Everett Cook and family, Mrs. Susan Badby and Lloyd Shull.

Mother's Day Dinner.

A Mother's Day dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bloomfield east of Pickering. Plates were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leech and children, Harold, Lorene, Neva and Ellen Lucile of Maryville; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wray, Glen Bloomfield and children, Elvet and Louise. Afternoon guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Denver Loch and children, Maurice, Loren and Archie; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wray and children, Katherine, Mildred, Eugene and Ella Mae and Mrs. A. Leech.

Birthday Surprise.

A group of relatives and friends gathered at the home of J. K. P. Graves, Sunday, taking well-filled baskets to help Mr. Graves celebrate his eighty-third birthday. Mr. Graves was taken for a ride, and when he returned the house was filled with guests.

Dinner was served cafeteria style. A large birthday cake, made by Mrs. Henry Cook, was centered with a group of candles arranged to form the number "83". The afternoon was spent in recalling old times. Among those present were three who have reached more than four score of years. They are: the honor guest, 83, Mrs. Sarah Nelson, 85 and Mrs. Bridenbeck, 83.

The following persons were present: Mrs. Sarah Nelson of Barnard, Mr. George Y. Burrus of Sioux City, Ia., Buford Allen of Whitesville, Mrs. James Blagg, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Stamper and daughter, Alma, Mrs. Bridenbeck and daughter, Amelia, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson and son, Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Graves and family, Mrs. Letitia Allen and the honor guest.

W. N. Club.

The W. N. Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emma Shields with Mrs. George Sexson as leader. The opening songs were followed by scripture reading from the twenty-eighth chapter of Acts. The secretary's report was read and the roll call was answered by nine members. The closing song was "Jesus Keeps Me Singing." The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Sam Culver on May 24, with Mrs. Emma Shields as leader.

The members and visitors present were: Mrs. Irvin Peery, Mrs. Nancy Cooper, Mrs. Susan Hayes, Mrs. George Sexson, Mrs. Cleo Lane and children, Mrs. John Meeks and daughter Imogene, Mrs. Amos Hayes, Miss Edna Gray, Miss Velma Goforth, Mrs. Raymond Beam.

Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Beam.

Birthday Dinner.

A surprise birthday basket dinner was given Sunday at Odessa, in honor of Mrs. Mary Livasy, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Forest Gooden of that place. Mrs. Livasy was 70 years old.

Those attending from here were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Branigan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roelofson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Strong and son, Maurice and Miss Lucile Snyder. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Livasy and daughter, Betty Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Livasy and son, Frank, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Livasy and family, all of Kansas City. Sunday also was the birthday of Howard Strong and Mrs. Strong's brother, R. L. Livasy of Kansas City.

Page-Smith.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of George Townsend Smith, grandson of W. A. Townsend, Maryville, to Miss Doris Page at Angole, Ind., May 10.

Both the bride and groom attended the State Teachers College here. The

bride is the daughter of S. J. Page of Colorado Springs, Colo., formerly of Milan and Trenton. She was graduated from the Milan High School and after attending the College here taught in the rural schools of Grundy county for two years.

The bridegroom is employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company at Battle Creek, Mich., where the couple will live.

For Mrs. Mary Howard.

A mother's day surprise was held in honor of Mrs. Mary Howard of Skidmore, Sunday.

A one o'clock dinner was served after which photographs of the group were taken. Twenty-one persons were present among them four sons and daughters of the honor guest.

Those present: Mr. and Mrs. James Howard and daughters of Maryville; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Busby and daughters, Maryville; Mr. and Mrs. Will Catron, Fairfax; Mr. and Mrs. Walt Howard, Skidmore; Richard Howard, Linda Lavy, Lawrence Lavy, Opal Kelly all of Glasco, Kan., and Edward Catron of Fairfax.

Final Installation.

Final installation for the local chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha, State Teachers College sorority, will be held Saturday. Mrs. Wilma Wilson Sharp, national registrar of the organization, will come from her home at Independence, to act as installing officer.

A banquet will be held at Smart's Saturday night.

A group of out-of-town visitors are expected for the installation.

Surprise Norma Ruth Logan.

Mrs. Alfred Logan entertained with a surprise birthday party yesterday at her home, 803 North Fillmore street, in celebration of the twelfth birthday of her daughter, Norma Ruth Logan.

Mrs. Logan was assisted by Mrs. William Smith and Miss Etta Marie Stivers.

A birthday cake lighted with candles was one feature of the party.

The guests at the affair were: Dorothy Henderson, Mary Henderson, Elaine Wyman, Mary Louise Wyman, Mary Ann Hamilton, Helen Gaugh, Elizabeth Bartram, Mary Butler, Vera McClaron, Ethel Dell Greenlee, Doris Wray, Helena Robey, Mary Edna Lauber, Ruth McCoy, Bernice Owens, Mildred Clardy, Denia Dale Logan, Marguerite Thorp, John Harvey, Eva LaVerne McMullin, Pauline Neal and Doris Logan.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

To Attend Wedding.

Mrs. Phares O. Sigler left last night for Decatur, Ill., where she will attend the marriage of her sister, Miss Jane Pluck, to T. J. Paget of Louisville, Ky. The wedding will take place May 28.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas will have as their dinner guests at six o'clock dinner tonight Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coats and daughter, Alice and Miss Ola Coats who will leave Friday for her home at Council Grove. She has been attending high school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will have as their guests tomorrow night Mrs. William Uter who leaves June 1, to meet Mr. Uter in Chicago, where they will live; and Miss Gertrude Wilson of Olathe, Kan., who leaves for her home Sunday.

Achievement Day.

The Good Luck, Lyle Community and Graham Progressive clubs held an achievement day at the restaurant at Graham, yesterday. Among those who were present were: Lyle Community Club: Mrs. Ray Mowry and Mrs. Frazier Noblett; Good Luck: Mrs. Charles Warner, Mrs. Lawrence Hill, Mrs. Charles Johnson and Mrs. Floyd Miller. Graham Progressive Club: Mrs. Ruby Mowry, Mrs. Ruby Acklin, Mrs. Joe Davis and Mrs. W. O. Stivers.

Appropriations of \$200,000 Released

University, School for Deaf and Cape Girardeau Among Institutions Benefiting.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 15.—Appropriations totaling approximately \$200,000, including \$19,800 for the state university, were released today by Gov. Sam A. Baker.

The two largest items were \$65,000 for a new building for the state school for the deaf at Fulton and \$50,000 for the state printing commission.

Other items were: State Teachers College at Cape Girardeau, \$18,000; state board of agriculture, \$10,000; attorney general, \$16,000; Kansas City court of appeals, \$4,000; supreme court, \$15,000; secretary of state, \$4,000; Lincoln University of Jefferson City, \$4,000; Missouri State School of Marshall, \$12,000 and the state hospital at Fulton, \$7,000.

Community Church Workers Meet.

Mountain Lakes, N. J., May 15.—The Biennial Conference of Community Church Workers met here today. Sessions will close on Wednesday.

The workers represent some 1600 community churches in the United States. Many of the churches have as high as 25 or 30 denominations represented.

He May Succeed Floyd Bennett



NEA New York Bureau
Lt. Wilmer Stultz of Paterson, N. J., who was pilot for Charles A. Levine in his Havana flight, and has been designated as chief relief pilot for the Antarctic expedition of Commander Richard E. Byrd, may succeed the late Floyd Bennett as chief pilot of the Byrd plane. Stultz was pilot of Miss Frances Grayson's plane, Dawn, last summer in three unsuccessful starts to cross the Atlantic. He won his rank as a war flyer.

Elected to Teach in St. Joseph Schools

The St. Joseph board of education last night elected eleven teachers from Nodaway county and former Nodaway countians to teach in the St. Joseph public schools next year. Six were elected to teach in the high schools.

The teachers from Nodaway county are:

Helen Dean, Mayme Dooley, Marie Landfater, Vera Tilson, Nellie Tobin, Neva Wallace, all in the high schools; and Hester DeNeen, Blanche Erickson, Grace McAnulty, Mary McClanahan and Margaret Stafford, in the grades.

Stresemann, German Statesman, Is Ill

Foreign Minister Reported in Serious Condition.—Diplomatic Activities Cease.

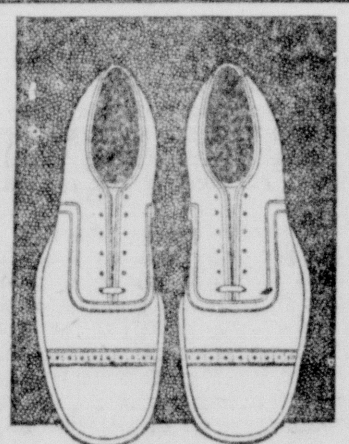
Berlin, May 15.—Dr. Gustav Stresemann, German foreign minister, was seriously ill today and doctors were alarmed because his heart action has been weakened by gastric intestinal catarrh.

All activities have been stopped for the foreign minister as a result of this ailment.

Disclosure that Stresemann's condition was grave ended rumors that this was a "diplomatic illness" by which he had hoped to avoid receiving a host of official congratulations on his 50th birthday, May 10.

Excelsior Springs—Plans are being made by the Board of Education to submit a bond proposal to voters for construction of a high school.

Independence—An ordinance has been passed by the City Council requiring dairy distributors to pay a monthly inspection and registration fee.



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Two Bremen Relief Planes Still Held

Delayed at Picton Planes May Not Take Off for St. George's N. F., Before Tomorrow.

Montreal, Que., May 15.—Word from Picton, N. S., said the two United States army planes enroute to Greenly Island were still at Picton this afternoon with the possibility that they might not take off for St. George's, N. F., before 6:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Major General Fehet, however, was quoted as saying that they might leave later this afternoon, since the weather was clearing.

Washington, May 15.—The army's relief expedition to remove the airplane Bremen—in which two Germans and an Irishman flew across the North Atlantic—suffered from the elements that have made the east-west crossing of the Atlantic so difficult.

One of the army planes was down at Tatamagouche, N. S., while the other was at Truro.

\$40,000 High School for Mt. Vernon, Mt. Vernon.—The \$40,000 high school to be erected here this summer will contain a large gymnasium. The building is to be erected on the site of the former structure which was destroyed by fire.

Seven Small Musicians Rival Grown-Ups in Violin Recital

Seven children, violin pupils of Miss Helen Dvorak, violin instructor of the Conservatory of Music of the State Teachers College, gave a recital in the music room of the College yesterday afternoon and gained the unlimited approval of an audience of more than fifty persons.

The musicians ranged in age from 4 to 10 years, some so small that miniature violins were necessary, and when they were standing before the audience their heads could not be seen a little way back in the room.

A remarkable part of the recital was that none of the musicians used music from which to play, and all were perfectly at ease while the center of attraction.

Violins varied in size from one-eighth to one-half to three-fourths normal. The tonal qualities, which might have been obtained from larger instruments were thus limited but "miniature musicians must be equipped with miniature instruments."

The smallest of the troupe was little Sarah Caldwell, 4 years old. She played a dainty piece entitled, "To a Wild Rose," by MacDowell.

Betty Chaves was the next smallest, claiming 5 years and a liberal understanding of violin playing and its intricacies. Her selection was entitled "At the Wedding," by Brown.

Little Charlotte Withington, 6, played a melody by Berold, "Theme," by Handel and "Merry Bobolink" by Krogmann were selections played by Robert Curfman, musician of 7 years.

Betty Lee Carter was well received with her selection, "In Slumberland" by Czerwonky. Betty Lee is 8 years old.

"Playful Rondo" by Greene, was played by Sarah Catherine Thorp, 10 years old, in a rhythmic interpretation.

"Valse" by Hackh, was played by Paul Person, 10 years old.

Annabel Withington was scheduled to appear but was unable to do so because of sickness.

The longest time spent by any of these students of Miss Dvorak is a year and a half. The shortest is about three months, the time spent by Betty Chaves. Sarah Caldwell and Charlotte Withington have studied since Christmas.

Davis Cup Aspirants Active Again Today

St. Louis, Mo., May 15.—Unless rain-soaked courts prevent, Capt. William T. Tilden, II, will put his Davis cup team aspirants through additional preliminary practice tennis here today.

In matches played yesterday, Tilden and Arnold Jones of Providence, R. I., suffered defeat at the hands of George M. Lott, Jr., Chicago and Johnny Hennessey, Indianapolis, 6-1, 6-4.

Wray D. Brown, St. Louis, defeated Wilbur F. Junior Coen, Kansas City, 8-6, 6-2.

Babe Ruth Hits His Tenth Homer Today

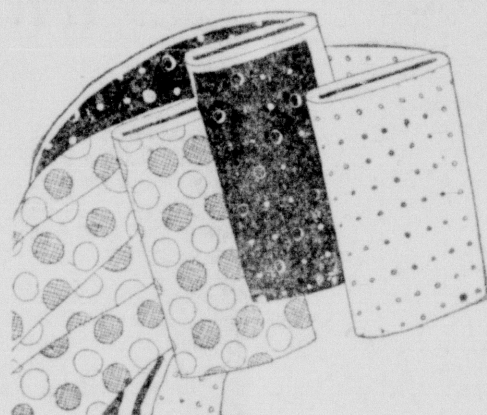
New York, May 15.—Babe Ruth hit his tenth home run of the season today in the fifth inning of the game between the Yankees and the Detroit Tigers. Earl Whitehill was pitching. Ruth was the first man up.

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Prints
25c

Fast colored prints in daring patterns for the summer season.

Plain and Fancy
Crepes
25c

Lingerie crepes for pajamas and under garments; fancy patterns with plain colors to match.

Lunch Sets
89c

All linen Lunch Sets, 5 pieces, 4 napkins and one cloth to match.

Supertex Rayon
Bloomers
\$1.49

42 gauge rayon bloomers, cut full, well made, that gives excellent wear.

Brassieres
25c

New novel fabrics for the summer season, shaped to fit at a very low price.

Shirtings
15c

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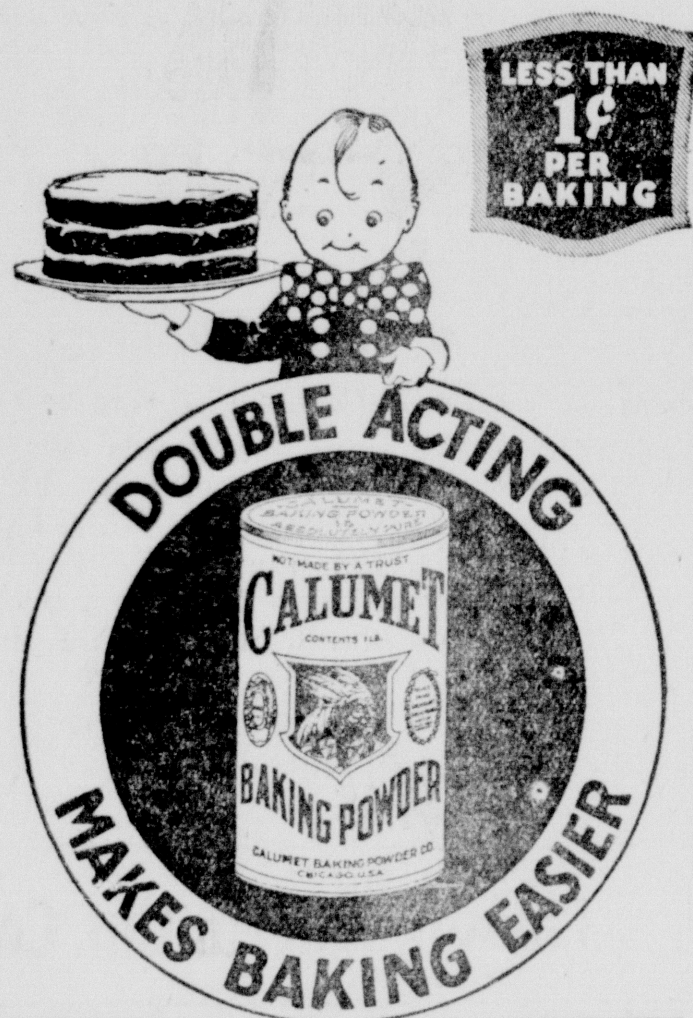
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LEAVES A WAY OUT

But Barring Unforeseen Developments,
Pennsylvania Votes Probably Will
Go to Secretary.

Washington, May 15.—Barring unforeseen developments between now and June 12, the strong Pennsylvania Republican delegation will support Herbert Hoover for the Republican presidential nomination, according to indications today.

This information came from close friends of Secretary of Treasury Mellon, who interpreted his Philadelphia speech as supporting Hoover but at the same time leaving a loop-hole in case of remote exigencies which would result in drafting President Coolidge.

Mellon believes Hoover would win the election if nominated, he thinks Hoover would carry the farmer vote and that the Secretary of Commerce would make a good President, Mellon's friends said.

Still Favorable to Draft.

Mellon is said to have carefully worked his address before the Pennsylvania state Republican committee in order not to destroy all hopes of those who have confidence Coolidge will be drafted at the last minute.

Mellon, however, feels certain that the President settled the matter once and for all with his famous "I do not choose to run" statement. He feels that the drafting matter is settled as far as the President is concerned but there might be some exigency where Coolidge would accept the nomination—but that is extremely remote.

Mellon's address, it was explained, did not definitely come out for Hoover, neither was it against him. It pointed out that Hoover is the only candidate in the Republican field who comes nearest to satisfying the administration's requirements.

Good Standard Bearer.

It was pointed out the party must point to the administration's record as its platform and that Hoover is a good standard bearer for this flag. It also was explained that it would not be logical to support candidates who oppose measures contrary to the administration's policies.

Mellon refused personally to explain his speech. He did say: "My statement was in plain English and it meant just what it purported to say. The delegation agreed to caucus at the convention from time to time and determine its course after arriving at the meeting."

"We have a cohesive organization in Pennsylvania and there was never a time when it was more harmonious."

Expenditures Attacked.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., May 15.—Campaign expenditures in behalf of Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, for the presidential candidacy were attacked in a telegram sent to Andrew Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, by Tom Driscoll, president of the midwest Farmers Protective Association.

The telegram to Mellon said the organization Driscoll represents has a membership in five middle western states.

"We feel that the present is the time to register our objections to the alleged and seemingly excessive expenditures of Mr. Hoover's supporters," the telegram read.

"Without accusation or impugning motives, the agricultural sections would not be a party to the purchase of the enthusiastic supporters."

The Midwest Farmers Protective Association, Driscoll said, favors the nomination of Frank O. Lowden of Illinois.

Cape Girardeau to Keep Debate Trophy

Springfield Defeats Maryville at Cape Girardeau—No Word From Warrensburg.

By victories over the Warrensburg State Teachers College here and at Springfield over the Kirkville State Teachers College, the Cape Girardeau State Teachers College came into permanent possession yesterday of the Guy Allison debate cup, for which competition began four years ago.

The debating team of the Springfield State Teachers College defeated the Maryville Teachers College in one of the series of inter-collegiate debates, winning a four to one decision of the judges. Guy Thompson and Milton Raubinger were the Springfield debaters, while the Maryville school was represented by Clyde Rowland and Leland Medsker.

The result of the Maryville debate with Kirkville at Warrensburg has not been received here as yet. Gerald Carroll and Fred Smith were the Maryville debaters there.

Cape Girardeau defeated Kirkville at Springfield yesterday. The decision was four to one.

Springfield in a second victory won a three to two decision over Warrensburg at Kirkville.

Allen Markets Stock.

Ed Allen of Nodaway county sold a mixed load of stock on the St. Joseph livestock market yesterday.

Local News

John Z. Curnutt went to Kansas City this morning.

Lowell Campbell and G. P. Wright were Savannah visitors this morning.

Mrs. Leland McKee of Pickering was here yesterday.

Miss Eva Gillespie of Clearmont was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. F. R. Stalling of Barnard was in Maryville yesterday.

Forest Hinton of Pickering was here yesterday.

"When you feel the wheel—you'll be glad you waited," Tunstall says—Advertisement.

Here For Summer.

Miss Mildred Sawyer came Friday to spend the summer with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sawyer. Miss Sawyer has been re-elected as instructor of mathematics and science in the Bedford High School with an increase in salary.

Visits Aunt Here.

Harlan Harvey, with the Bell Telephone Co. at New York City, visited Sunday in Maryville with his aunt, Mrs. E. J. Kissinger. Before leaving for New York, he will visit with other relatives near here.

Visit at Shenandoah.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gray and Miss Katherine Gray of Maryville, Mo., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fleming Carpenter. Mrs. Carpenter is a daughter. Kerian Cummins of Maryville was also a guest in the home, visiting Jack Gray—Shenandoah Sentinel.

To Speak at Park College.

M. E. Seelman, director of information at the State Teachers College, will be the principal speaker tonight at a banquet of the journalism club of Park College, at Parkville, Mo. The affair is sponsored by the staff of the Stylus, student publication at Park.

Land Near Barnard Sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carden have sold to John Bloom sixty-nine acres of land, located six miles northeast of Barnard for \$8,625 according to a warranty deed filed for record yesterday.

Return From Indiana.

The Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass returned this morning from Liberty, Ind., where the Rev. Mr. Snodgrass has been conducting evangelistic meetings.

Leaves for Kansas City.

Kermit Woolen who has been employed in the meat department at the Townsend Retail Grocery since the meat department was added to the store, has given up his position and left this morning for Kansas City.

Called to St. Joseph.

Mrs. Maggie Dougan left this afternoon for St. Joseph. She was called there by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Ed Moran, who was taken ill yesterday.

Man Who Died Here Remains Unidentified

No further information has been learned today by city officials regarding the identification of a man who died at the police station Saturday night. Mayor W. O. Garrett said this afternoon. One of the names given by the man, who came to Maryville Saturday morning on the train from Gallatin was Louis Lafonte, but he tried to hide his identity.

Mayor Garrett said that the body would be here here a week before final disposition, unless identification is made. The city officers have communicated with police and sheriff officers in towns where it was thought the body possibly might be identified.

Mrs. Henry Swift Dies at Grant City

Mrs. Henry Swift of Grant City, aunt of Mrs. J. C. Farrar, Maryville, died at her home yesterday morning after several weeks' illness. Mr. Swift is an uncle of Mrs. Sophia Hull, Miss Emma Hull and J. F. Hull of Maryville.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Grant City. Miss Sophia Hull was with Mrs. Swift at the time of her death.

AUNT HET



"Sallie needn't put on airs around me. I knowed her when she made her children's underclothes out of flour sacks."

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GRADUATIONS AT PICKERING

EIGHTH GRADE EXERCISES TOMORROW; H. S. THURSDAY.

PROGRAMS ANNOUNCED

G. H. Colbert Is Commencement Speaker.—Rural Schools Participate in Grade Entertainment.

The programs for the Pickering high school commencement and the eighth grade graduating exercises of Union township have been announced by John Jahne, superintendent of the Pickering schools. The high school commencement will be held at the Pickering M. E. church Thursday night and the town and rural eighth grade exercises will be tomorrow night at the same church.

The high school program: Processional, Mrs. Howard Null. Invocation, the Rev. T. M. Walton. Salutatory, Opal Rickard. Presentation of key, Orlin McGuire. Class grumbler, Glen Swaney. Class will, Brice Rickard. Prophecy, Verna Treese. Piano solo, Donald Johnson. Class history, Hazel Scott. Address, G. H. Colbert, of the State Teachers College faculty. Presentation of diplomas, J. L. Clayton.

Valedictory, Verna Pistole. Benediction, the Reverend Mr. Walton.

The class motto is "going higher"; the class colors are blue and yellow and the class flower is the American rose.

The program for the Union township eighth grade commencement: Recitation, grammar room.

Song, "Smilin' Thru," Mount Pleasant school.

Reading, Xenia school.

Song, "The Spelling Bee," primary room.

Reading, "The Discovery of America," grammar room.

Piano duet, Sunrise school.

Dialogue, "Free Verse and Worse," grammar room.

Song, Mount Pleasant school.

Monologue, "I Am My Grandfather," intermediate room.

Song, "The Bug Band in the Hollow," primary room.

Reading, Sunrise school.

Duet, "I'll Never Play With You Again," intermediate room.

Dialogue, "How Mary Entertains," Bloomdale school.

Song, "Topsy Band," intermediate room.

Recitation, "My Parasol," primary room.

March, "Left March," intermediate room.

Exercise, "The News Boy," intermediate room.

Song, "The Radio," intermediate room.

Presentation of diplomas and addresses by L. G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools.

The graduates of the eighth grade of the Pickering school are James William Gray, Albert Morris Swaney, Roy Theodore Ingels, Henry Ezra Dalrymple, Mildred Elnor Vinzant, Frank Pay McGuire, Tressa Evelyn Whitten, Leola Elnora Taylor, Arthur Eugene Wilson.

J. F. Hull Speaker at Hi-Y Graduation

Six Advanced Seniors to Receive Diplomas and Copies of New Testament Tomorrow.

J. F. Hull will address the six graduates of the Hi-Y club of the Maryville high school at the club's graduation exercises at 10:40 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The diplomas will be presented by L. E. Ziegler, superintendent of schools, who has sponsored the organization. Herbert R. Dieterich, principal of the high school, on behalf of the Hi-Y club, will present each graduate with a copy of the New Testament. Devotions will be in charge of the Rev. W. S. Woodhull, pastor of the First M. E. Church, who is chairman of the advisory board.

The graduates are: Erman Barrett, Marvin Lyle, George Epperson, Donald Price, Lewis Moore, and Wilbur Frankum.

The graduates are advanced seniors who will be graduated from high school and the service accepted by the Hi-Y is a recognition of the work these boys have done during the past year and during other years of their membership to promote and maintain the ideals of Christian citizenship.

Since the inauguration of Hi-Y graduation services two years ago, fifty-one boys have been graduated.

Eldredge Burial to Be at Chester, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Speer of Sioux City, Ia., and Lester Speer of Sac City, Ia., were at Pickering yesterday to attend the funeral of their grandfather, A. E. Eldredge, which was held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. G. McMillen, Pickering. Burial will be made Tuesday at Chester, Neb.

Daughter Born Saturday.

A daughter was born Saturday at the St. Francis hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kutulas of Maryville. The daughter has been named Christina.

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WILLYS-KNIGHTS — WHIPPETS

Lewis M. Werth to Teach at Honolulu

Lewis M. Werth of Maryville, who will receive his B. S. degree from the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College this summer, has been employed to teach at Honolulu, Hawaii Islands, next year.

Mr. Werth said he would teach mathematics in the Kalakaua junior high school, starting in September. Mr. Werth, Mrs. Werth and their daughter, Gwendolyn Lewis, expect to leave here August 9 for San Francisco and will sail from that port, probably about August 22.

Mr. Werth taught at Nixon, Mo., last year.

To Hold Track Meet for College Girls

Wednesday Set as Day for Intra-Mural Meet at State Teachers College Field.

An intra-mural track meet will be held at the State Teachers College Wednesday afternoon among women students of the four classes of the College. This event will close the women's track activities provided for in the intra-mural sports program of the women's physical education department. Miss Helen M. Barton, instructor in women's athletics, has charge of this work.

Tennis, which ordinarily follows track, already has been taken up under the direction of Miss Barton.

Eek to Give Address in Place of Lamkin

L. M. Eek left this afternoon for Camden Point, in Platte County, to give a commencement address—Uel W. Lamkin, president of the State Teachers College, was to have given the address but was unable to go on account of his motor accident last night.

This and That

Henry G. Blanchard, teller of a local bank, evidently is anxious for a band in Maryville.

He put his "John Henry" down twice on the petition requesting the city council to call a special election for the purpose of voting on a one mill tax for band purposes.

Hopkins Alumni to Entertain Seniors

Party Will Be Held in Christian Church Basement Tonight for Fifteen Graduates.

The Hopkins high school alumni association will entertain the graduating class of the high school there tonight at a party to be held in the Christian Church basement.

On previous occasions a banquet has been given in honor of the graduating class, but a vote taken at a meeting last year decided in favor of the more informal affair.

Entertainment will be provided by a committee composed of Mrs. Charles Wallace, Fred Pistole and Donald Turner.

The graduating class consists of fifteen students.

Youths Steal Mail Pouches at Gallatin

Agent at Wabash Station There Is Held Up at 12:30 o'Clock This Morning.

Two youths, not over 25 years old, held up the agent at the Wabash railway station at Gallatin at 12:30 o'clock this morning, and escaped with five jockey mail pouches which were in the station.

This information was received here by the operator at the Wabash station this morning from R. G. Yates at Gallatin, Wabash employee.

One of the men was described as about 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighing about 160 pounds, who wore a black rain coat which was torn up the back. The other man was 5 feet 5 inches in height, weighed about 140 pounds and wore a tan rain coat. Both wore caps. No money was taken.

A. F. Stitt Funeral Is Held Yesterday

Funeral services for A. F. Stitt, 89 years old, former mayor of Burlington Junction, who died Saturday, were held at the Christian church at Burlington Junction yesterday afternoon. Burial was made in Burlington Junction.

Police Chief Away, Donahue to Force

B. F. Dougan, chief of police, left this morning for Excelsior Springs for a several days' stay. During his absence William Donahue will be on duty as police officer during the day.

TO MEET ON BAND TONIGHT

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Walter S. Todd, Bessie W. Todd, Gertrude Sturm, Mamie E. Clardy, Mrs. Guy Haller, Mrs. A. L. Staples, Roy J. Mayes, William Laughlin, Glenn Porter, C. P. Remus, Mrs. Laura Hickman, W. A. Townsend, W. L. Rhodes, Ursle Crockett, Henry Upshulte, Harry Tilson, George H. Garrett, Paul Kuchs, J. E. Carpenter, J. C. Wilson, John Brennan, Vincent Quinn, Vode Wiloughby, R. B. Montgomery, J. A. Kramer, F. W. Steele, Walter S. Davis, Howard Wray, J. A. Greenlee, Harry Morris, Charles Meadows, A. F. Cook, E. A. Holt.

John Schneider, B. D. Null, E. Glover, D. W. Alexander, B. Elders, B. M. Chandler, E. W. Payne, Pearl M. Keiflein, Elizabeth Doran, F. H. French, Chilton Robinson, J. D. Richey, Henry G. Blanchard, Nona Pierce, R. L. Groves, Elizabeth L. White, A. J. Cox, L. C. Cook, Verna M. Kennedy, T. A. Cummins, C. D. Allen, Forrest Shaffer, Viola Jones, May Howland, J. Harold Holt, Mary Barber, E. R. Miller.

POWER TRUST TURNS CENSOR

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school board," he said.

He insisted, however, that the attempt to remove the books was left entirely to the local utilities.

Judge Robert E. Healy, chief commission counsel, then read from Carmichael's letter to Major J. S. S. Richardson of the Pennsylvania committee in which he said:

"Pretty Well in Hand."

"In nearly every instance the unfavorable books were removed to the library itself, where they were used for reference purposes only. We brought the matter to the attention of members of the school board. We continued to watch the situation closely and now have the matter pretty well in hand, but do not intend to let any of these bugs slip anything over on us."

Asked whether this letter truly described the committee's activities, Carmichael replied, "evidently." He then admitted that his memory may have been better in 1925 when he wrote the Richardson letter than it is now.

Describing formation and growth of his committee, Carmichael said it now

has 80 members, representing most of the electric light, power and street railway firms in Iowa. The committee, he said, spent about \$27,000 a year.

One Man Is "Cagey."

A letter from Carmichael to a Nebraska utilities man told of obtaining the professors for the conference and said that one man proved "cagey."

He explained that someone at Grinnell demanded to know what it was about before consenting to attend the conference.

Reading from a report to the committee's work, he said Iowa newspapers have printed publicity in 18 months worth about \$80,000 to the utilities industry.

Ames Professor Paid.

Payment of about \$300 to Professor A. N. Ford, of Iowa State College for making a study to show that privately owned power plants charged lower rates than municipal plants was disclosed by Carmichael.

He was questioned about a meeting in Kansas City last March which was attended by several Iowa college professors. The purpose of the meeting, he said, was to discuss utility courses. He said he was successful in inducing professors from Drake, Coe, Grinnell, and Morningside to attend the conference, presided over by Dean C. O. Ruggles, Ohio State University, who is now engaged in making a national survey of utilities courses.

Carmichael said the Iowa committee had not paid expenses of the professors.

"Weren't the professors urged by Dean Ruggles to start utilities courses in their colleges?" Carmichael was asked. He said he believed not, but that utilities courses in general were discussed and this question may have come up.

Pamphlets to Schools.

Prior to forming the committee in 1922 at the suggestion of officers of the United Light and Power company of Iowa, Carmichael said he had been a newspaper man in Iowa. He said he has a wide acquaintance with newspaper men in that state.

The committee, he testified, has distributed 40,000 utilities pamphlets in Iowa schools and colleges. Many Iowa libraries also have used the committee's publications.

Trenton—The need of an airport in Trenton was stressed in a recent address by C. Hinkle, of the Department of Commerce Airways.

COWS PAYING THIS FARMER

\$1,908 ABOVE FEED COSTS FOR O.
W. MATTHEWS, MT. VERNON.

KEEPS CLOSE RECORD

Fields Gaining in Fertility Each Season Since Condensery Came to Missouri County.

The following article appeared in the Sunday issue of the Springfield Daily News:

Successful dairying is the rule around Mt. Vernon and many examples of the important part cows are playing in present day farming in the Ozarks may be found. Typical of the best dairymen in that section is O. W. Matthews and sons who last year made a return of \$1,908.29 above feed costs on a herd of 16 Holsteins, according to cow testing association records.

The 160-acre farm is a very complete farming unit with most of the feed home-grown and a balanced program worked out which includes a crop rotation, legumes, liming and the return of all manure to the fields. In addition to the cows, a flock of White Leghorns returns a profit. As a side-line grapes turned in \$1,000 last year. Due to the April frost this year, the profits are negative.

Bought Cows 18 Years Ago.
O. W. Matthews has not always been a dairyman. Eighteen years ago he bought 60 acres of the present farm, going in debt for most of the purchase price. It was but a rundown piece of wheat land without buildings and with poor fences.

The first clover the land had ever grown was seeded by O. W. and the first barnyard manure it ever received he put on it. The struggle of improving the place, building up the soil and at the same time whittling on the mortgage was not the easiest chapter in the life of O. W. Matthews. Only those who know the hardships he had to overcome can best appreciate his success.

A modern, comfortable home graces the well-kept lawn, good buildings house the cows and chickens. The fields are gaining in fertility each season, thanks be to crop rotation, legumes, manure, lime and acid phosphate.

The first herd consisted of grade Jerseys. With the coming of the Carnation Condensery to Mt. Vernon, giving him a whole milk market, he sold the Jerseys and laid the foundation for a herd of Holsteins.

Cow Testing Big Help.
He has been in the cow testing association for four years and the records have been a help in culling out low producers as well as in feeding according to production. Last year three cows were ruled out, two of them being boarders according to testing records.

"Cow testing associations are the best thing yet for the dairymen," said O. W. "We saved enough feed by getting rid of our boarder cows to pay association fees. The first time the cow tester came he told us that we were feeding some of the cows too much grain. We cut down and found we were getting just as much milk with a big saving in feed."

"Feeding according to production is very important and without records you cannot do this."

Praise Silage Highly.
Last year a silo was built and Matthews and his sons praise silage highly. They were able to cut down their feed costs and the cows will help you well in the milk. Several tons of silage was left in the silo and he has been feeding it this summer especially during dry weather. He says silage will prove valuable for summer use.

Clover and soybean hay has been the standby for the hay for the cows. Plans are now underway for a field of alfalfa. It was necessary to lime before clover would grow successfully. In fact on one forty recently traded for, Matthews was unable to get any kind of grass to grow until he limed and used acid phosphate. Then he got a good stand of red and sweet clover which has made a heavy yield of hay.

"They are strong believers in liming and as soon as the lime now on the farm is spread 75 acres will have been limed. The average cost of the lime delivered to the field is \$3 a ton and with a two-ton application to the acre, Matthews says the \$6 acre investment pays big returns. With the lime he is able to grow more feed in the way of clover while at the same time the soil is being improved."

60 Tons Hay Harvested.
This year about 60 tons of red clover hay has been harvested and 20 acres of soybeans are yet to be cut. A patch of 5 acres of soybeans are to be turned under as a green manure crop where it is planned to seed alfalfa.

The crop rotation is corn, oats and clover. Oats is preferred to wheat as the oat crop may be fed on the farm and the manure returned to the land.

Aside from the dairy income, a flock of 275 white leghorns, up to August 1st of this year, has brought in \$801.65. Of this amount \$246.20 was expended for feed, leaving a net income of \$615.45. Mash is fed the flock the entire year. Mrs. Matthews manages the poultry flock. The cost of producing eggs last month was 8.6 cents per dozen.

The farm is a modern plant with electricity for lights and power, a milking machine, pressure water system and a convenient modern home. A new six was recently purchased for a family

The Busiest Man in Houston



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NEA Houston Bureau.

With the Democratic convention drawing near, the busiest man in Houston, Tex., is Jesse Jones. Besides being chairman of the arrangements committee, Jones is an ex-officio member of all subcommittees, and because of his prominent role in the party has numerous conferences almost daily with Democratic leaders.

car. The Matthews work hard but they enjoy life as they go.

DRY ACT 1ST WITH SOUTH

MORE DEAR THAN DEMOCRATIC
TRADITIONS, BISHOP SAYS.

WOULD REJECT SMITH

Nomination of a Wet Would Break
Solid Ranks, Methodists Are
Told Last Night.

Kansas City, Mo., May 15.—The solid South, caring more for its Volstead act than its Democratic tradition, will be smashed if the Democrats nominate a wet candidate, Bishop James Cannon, Jr., told the general conference of the Methodist Church here last night.

Not once in his address, which attracted more attention than any other speech in the conference and was applauded several times, did Bishop Cannon mention the name of Al Smith but several times he became so personal in references to candidates that the name of Smith was whispered by delegates in the hall.

Himself a Democrat, the bishop declared that the campaign should be based on "privilege and corruption." Then he asked the question:

"How can the Democratic party make 'privilege and corruption' the great issue in a campaign in which the dry element in the party would sell its very soul by agreeing to support and help elect any man whose only hope for election would be that his personal, as well as his official record would be so wet that it would obtain the votes of wet Republicans?"

While Dr. Clarence True Wilson, general secretary of the board of temperance, prohibition and public morals, declared last night that his opposition was in no way based on Smith's religion, Bishop Cannon said that high officials of the Roman church had taken a stand against prohibition and their attitude was bound to be reflected in the many loyal sons who serve as government officials, high or low.

Unlike Bishop Cannon, Dr. Wilson mentioned Smith by name and expressed the wish that Smith had been nominated in 1924.

"I wish we had let the Democrats nominate Al Smith on a wet platform last time. Davis and Bryan were both too good to waste on the situation, or to have suffered such a defeat. It would have been better for the public to have Smith, the wet, the Tammany heeler, and the nullifier of his country's constitution, get a defeat of about twelve to fifteen million votes."

Buys Building, Falls 7 Stories to Death

New York, May 15.—Joseph Lannin, former owner of the Boston Red Sox and wealthy hotel man, was killed today when he fell seven floors down the elevator shaft of the Granada apartment hotel, Brooklyn, which he purchased recently for a sum reported to be \$2,000,000.

Mound City Goes Out of Class to Win in Band and Orchestra

In winning second among all high school bands and orchestras in the state at the music contests held at Columbia, Mound City high school, winner of the Northwest Missouri contests the last years, had to go out of its own class and compete with schools of much larger enrollment. How this came about is told in the following story from the Columbia Evening Missourian:

Disappointed because there was no other entry in Class B in the band and orchestra contest which was held Friday, Mound City was not to be downed. Rather than be conceded the winner of Class B with no one to compete with, the boys and girls decided that they would enter the contest with the bands and orchestras in Class A. And they won second place. Joplin with three times as many instruments was awarded first place.

There are only 180 students in the Mound City High School. From this, L. F. Thomure, supervisor of music has developed a thirty-five piece band and a thirty-six-piece orchestra with some of the students members of both organizations. More than one-half of the two organizations is made up of

girls, and five members are from the grades.

Four years ago there was no band or orchestra in the school. None of the children knew how to play. With only one violin player available, Mr. Thomure who had been brought to Mound City for the purpose of developing music within the school, organized both band and orchestra. During these four years, approximately thirty students have been lost through graduation.

Mound City is in Holt County, the home of the winners of the state basketball tournament, Oregon. Although traditional rivals, Mound City specializes in music while Oregon emphasizes athletics. However, the rivalry is merely traditional as Mound City shared the joy of her sister city in her success and made up a budget to aid in sending her athletes to Chicago.

The band and orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Thomure, has won the district contest of Northwest Missouri for two years. Last year they were unable to come to Columbia. This year they took second place in the state contest, competing in Class A. Their nearest competitors in the district meet were Maryville and Bethany.

Planting Nearly Over in Northeast Nodaway

Some Farmers Already Plowing Corn.—
Union Mothers Day Service
at Sheridan.

NORTHEAST NODAWAY—Most all the farmers are through planting corn in this vicinity. A few are still plowing corn. A rain is needed very badly.

Miss Janice Fisher of Grant City, spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Linn Kemery in Severance, Kan., caring for her mother, who is quite sick.

Mrs. G. W. Ellenberger and son, from Omaha, came Friday evening and held

a sale Saturday afternoon of her household goods. They returned to Omaha Saturday where Mrs. Ellenberger will make her home.

A union service of both churches was held at the Christian church at Sheridan Sunday in honor of Mother's Day. A basket dinner was served at noon.

Mrs. Myra Wilson of Palisades, Colo., arrived in Sheridan Thursday to help care for her mother, Mrs. Dean. Mrs. Wilson formerly lived in Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dowis spent Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dowis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hayworth. Mrs. Hayworth has been ill of rheumatism but is improving.

FIGHTS IN AIR WITH MANIAC

AIRPLANE PILOT LIVES TO TELL
OF AMAZING ATTACK.

ABOVE INSANE ASYLUM

Stunned by Crazy Passenger's Blows
With Hammer, He Guides Ship
Until Near Ground.

Pontiac, Mich., May 15.—On his cot in a Pontiac hospital today, Harry Anderson, 28, an airplane pilot, related the amazing story of his encounter with a crazy man while flying at an altitude of 2,000 feet above the grounds of the state insane asylum.

Anderson was beaten over the head with a hammer by his deranged passenger-but kept his plane under control until it was near the ground when it crashed. Physicians say he will recover.

Clarence Frechette, 23, the passenger, also survived the crash and was under police surveillance at the hospital.

Plane Is Wrecked.
The plane, which fell late yesterday on the grounds of the state insane asylum, was wrecked.

As he was being prepared for the operating table, Anderson told of his experiences.

"The man paid me to carry him from Detroit to Pontiac," Anderson said. "He said he was a parachute tester."

Everything seemed all right, until, as we were sailing along easily about 2,000 feet up, we sighted the insane asylum. For no known reason, I happened to turn my head suddenly.

"I saw a flash of the man standing up, swinging down a hammer with full force. I managed to duck, somehow. The blow glanced off my head, stunning me."

Pulled Out of Spin.
"I shouted to the fool. The plane dipped and I slid out of my seat. Then the ship went into a spin. I don't know how, but I pulled out of it."

"I looked around. The fellow was coming after me again with that hammer. I ducked, but he hit me on the head. I remember clutching at the controls as we went into a nose dive, then I passed out."

Spectators rushed to the wreckage and found Anderson clutching the control stick. Frechette, mumbling incoherently, held the hammer, which had been broken.

Stock in Aircraft Company Goes High

Wright Aeronautical Passes Radio and General Motors.—Curtiss Aero Also Up.

New York, May 15.—Wright aeronautical stock crossed Radio Corporation and General Motors today, reaching \$205, a gain of \$8 a share over the previous close, and a new high record. Curtiss Aero also made a new high, touching \$165 a share, up \$10.50 a share.

Buying in the issues was based on the announcement of a cross-country air line to Los Angeles with the Pennsylvania Railroad, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and the two airplane companies co-operating.



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Donald Lamar left for Colorado Springs the last of the week for the benefit of his health.

A Mother's Day program was held at the Brethren church Sunday night. A nice program was given.

Mrs. Jesse Johnson was visiting her mother, Mrs. Stoner, Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Will Winemiller were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Robb of Grant City were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Dowis.

Utilities Probe Into Iowa and Nebraska

Washington, May 15.—Open hearings were resumed today in the federal trade commission's utilities investigation with Iowa and Nebraska witnesses on the stand.

Joe Karmichael, Des Moines, director of the Iowa committee on public utilities information, and Thorne Brown, Lincoln, director of the Nebraska information bureau, were the chief witnesses.

es. They were to be questioned regarding utility publicity activities in their states.

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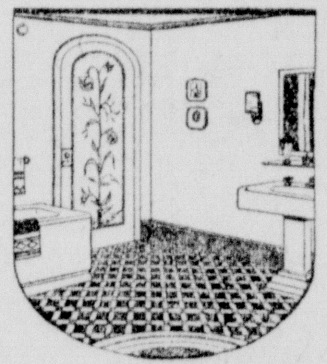
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OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



THIS HAS HAPPENED

The summer she is 16, SALLY FORD leaves the state orphanage, the only home she has known from the time she was four, to be "farmed out" to CLEM CARSON. At the Carson farm she meets DAVID MASH, athlete and student who is working on the farm during the summer. When Carson makes insulting remarks about David's friendship for Sally, David hits him a terrific blow.

David and Sally run away and join a carnival. David as cook's helper and Sally in a sideshow disguised as "Princess Lalla," crystal gazer.

NITA, a Hindu dancer, becomes infatuated with David and shows her sympathy for Sally. Sally tells MRS. BYBEE, wife of the show owner, that her mother once lived in Stanton, the town where the carnival is now showing. The manager's wife agrees to investigate and learn what she can. She returns from her trip to tell Sally that the woman, who left her at the orphanage was not her mother, but a maid hired to take the baby from the real mother in New York and disappear. As Sally leaves the Pullman after hearing this news from Mrs. Bybee, she sees Nita and believes she has been eavesdropping.

The last day in Stanton Sally is paralyzed with fear to learn that they are moving next day to the capital city, where she spent so many years in the orphan's home. Knowing that the police are after them for the Carson affair, she hurries to tell David they must run away again. He comforts her and tells her he will meet her that night after the train is loaded and they can talk their plight over then. She waits excitedly that night for his promised whistle beneath her cur window. When it comes, she hurries happily toward the door, but she notices that Nita's berth is vacant.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER 23

The night was eerie with voices from unseen bodies, or bodies half-revealed in the flare of gasoline torches, as the business of loading the carnival proceeded. Soft, rich voices from black men's throats blended with the velvet softness of the late June-night:

"Oh, if Ah had wings like an angel, Over these prison walls Ah would fly!

Ah would fly to the ahms of my poah dahlin'.

An' theah Ah'd be willin' to die!"

A lonesome, heart-breaking plaint. Sally shivered. Except for David and Pop Bybee and Dan, the Barker, she and David might have been behind prison bars tonight, learning the shame and misery that had created that song.

A white roustabout said something evil to her out of the corner of his mouth as she brushed past him on her way to join David. But she scarcely noticed, for there was David, his shoulders looming immensely broad in the dark coat he had donned in her honor. Her hands were out to him before he had reached her, and when he took them both and laid them softly against his breast, so that her leaping blood caught the rhythm of his strongly beating heart, she could scarcely restrain herself from raising her small body on tiptoe and lifting her face for his kiss.

They were shy at first, as they drifted away from the show train across the vacant lot where the carnival had so recently ventured trickery and truth, freaks and fakes, color and light and noise and music. They walked softly, slowly. Sally having the absurd feeling that if the grass stubble were tender, tiny flowers, her joyous feet would have crushed them. Her fingers were intertwined with David's, and the electric thrill of that contact seemed to be the motor force which propelled her body. Without a word as to direction, they drifted, completely in accord, toward a clump of trees which would some day, when Stanton had become beauty-conscious, form the nucleus of a park.

Sally felt that she was in a spell woven of the beauty and breathlessness of the night and of her inarticulate joy as, still without speaking, David took off his coat and spread it upon the ground that sloped gently from the sturdy trunk of an oak tree. As he was stooping to spread the coat her hand hovered over his head, aching to touch the dear, waving crispness of his hair, yet not daring—quite. But when he straightened more suddenly than she had expected, his head fitted into the cup of her hovering hand before she could snatch it away.

He whirled upon her, sweeping her slight body to his breast with such fierceness and suddenness that her head swam.

"Sally! Sally!" Just that hoarse cry, muted, exultant.

Her hands crept slowly up his breast, so loving every inch of the dear body whose warmth came through the cloth of his shirt that they abandoned it reluctantly. When her hands were on his shoulders, clinging there, she threw her head back upon the curve of his right arm, and smiled up into his face. Her lips parting slowly to let out a little gasping sigh of joy.

In the silvery sheen with which the moon joyously and approvingly bathed them their eyes, wide, dark, luminous, clung for an aeon of time, reckoned in the history of love. Then David, knowing that his unasked question had been gloriously answered, bent his head until his lips touched hers.

He must have felt the slight stiffening of her body, the ardor in her small hands as they clung more fiercely to his shoulders. For he flung up his head, then turned it sharply away for a moment, as if ashamed for her to see the passion in his eyes. She took a drunken, uncertain step away from him; and his arms fell laxly from her body.

"What is it, David?" she asked in a small, quivering voice, scarcely more than a whisper.

"I shouldn't have done that!" David reproached himself with boyish bitterness.

"But, David," Sally pleaded, in that small quaver, "don't you—don't you love me—at all? I thought—I—"

Her hands fluttered toward him, then dropped hopelessly as he still stood sharply turned away from her.

"Yes, I love you. That's the devil of it," David groaned from the shelter of his arms. "I love you so much I can't think of anything else, not even of our danger."

She crept closer to him, stroked timidly the clenched fist which hung at his side. "Then—why, David? I—I love you, too. You—must—have known. I love you with all my heart." She stooped swiftly and laid her lips against his knuckles, which shone white as marble in the moonlight.

"Don't!" he cried sharply. He lowered the arm that had sheltered his shamed passionate eyes and looked at her humbly, his whole body drooping. "Don't you see, darling—no, I mustn't call you that!—don't you see, Sally, that your—caring—only makes it worse? I wish I were the only one that has to suffer. But you're so young—oh, God!" he cried in sudden anguish.

"You're so pitifully young! Sixteen! I ought to be horsewhipped!"

She laughed shakily. "I'm getting older every day, David. Is it such a crime to be young? You're young, too, David—darling!" The word was dropped shyly, on a tremulous whisper.

"That's it!" David cried wildly, fiercely under his breath. "We're both young! I'm just half through college, and I haven't a cent to my name except what I earned those two weeks on Carson's farm. And I won't have any money except barely enough to live on—I work my way through college—until I've finished school. And then it will be a long, hard struggle to get a start, unless my grandfather dies by then and leaves me his farm. He's a miserly old man, darling. He thinks I'm a fool to study scientific farming, won't give me a cent. I haven't wanted it—till now."

"And now, David?" she prompted softly, her fingers closing caressingly about the clenched hand which she must not kiss.

"I want to marry you of, course!" David flung the confession at her sternly. "I love you so much it's torture to think of your going on to New York with the carnival. Oh, it's all so hopeless! We're in such a nasty jam, Sally, darling!" He groaned, snatched up her hands, kissed them hungrily, passionately, then dropped them as if the soft, sweet flesh stung his lips. "Don't let me kiss you, Sally! For God's sake! I can't stand it! And it's not fair to you to learn what love means, when—when we can't go through with it."

"But why can't we, David?" she persisted, her love giving her amazing boldness. "I'll never love anyone else. I'll wait for you, for years and years. Until I'm 18 and you're 23. You're almost 21, aren't you, David?"

"Yes," he acknowledged. "But I'm just a kid. Why, I'm a minor yet!" he reminded her with youth's bitter shame. "And so are you. We couldn't even get married legally. And we're both—wanted—by the police. I can't even figure out how I'm going to get back into A. & M. and finish my course. I couldn't let you marry a man wanted for attempted murder, even if I could support you. Oh, I guess I could make a bare living for us, but I don't want that! Not for you! I want you to have everything lovely in the world. You've had so little, so little! I want you to have silk and velvet to make you forget blue-and-white-checked zingham. I want—" he was going on passionately when Sally interrupted with her soft, delicious little laugh.

"I want David," she said simply.

"All right!" he cried, flinging his arms aside in a gesture of utter abandonment. "We'll run away tonight. We'll keep going until we get out of the state. We'll lie about our ages. We'll find someone somewhere to marry us, and we'll—have each other if we have nothing else in the world, Sally!"

His exultant young voice and his arms demanded her, but she held back strangely, while her face went ghastly white and old in the moonlight.

"I—I forgot to tell you my news," she said dully, tonelessly, her hands flattened against her breast. "Mrs. Bybee found out something about—about my mother, about me."

Ecstasy was wiped from David's face, leaving it hurt and bewildered. "So you're going to find her? Go back to her? I—I suppose I'm glad."

"No," she shook her head drearily. "I can't marry you or—anyone, David. My mother was not Mrs. Nora Ford. I don't know who she was! I don't even know what my name really is—if I have a name! Whoever my mother was she was ashamed I'd been born, she paid Mrs. Ford to take me away when I was an infant, away from New York, so—so I wouldn't disgrace her. I'm the ugly name Nita called me today. I'm—I'm—"

"You're my Sally," David said gently, his arms gathering her in, holding her comfortably against his breast, in a passionless embrace of utter tenderness. "Do you think I would let that make any difference at all? If anything could, it would make me love you more. But I love you now with every bit of me. And we'll be married, Sally. What do I care about being a scientific farmer?" But there was a note of bravado, of regret in his voice that did not escape her love-attuned ears.

"No, David," she whispered, her hands

straying over his face as if memorizing every dear line of it. "We'll wait. I can wait. I've waited twelve years to find my mother, and I didn't give up hope until today. I would wait twice twelve years for you. I'll stick with the carnival if Pop Bybee will let me, and if the police don't find us. Then when you're through college—"

"But I'm damned if I can see how I'm to get back!" David burst out. "We are both trapped in this second-rate carnival—and a first-rate one would be bad enough!"

"We won't have to stay after we get to New York," Sally interrupted reasonably. "We can start life again. This trouble will blow over. You might even learn some other profession in the east—"

"I don't want to learn anything else, live anywhere else but in the middle west. It's my land. I love it. I want to serve it. But oh, Sally, let's not torture ourselves any more. I know I mustn't marry you now, under this cloud, but let's be happy for a few minutes before we go back to the show train. No, don't darling!" as she lifted her arms. "Just sit there on my coat and let me look at you. You're the most beautiful thing in the world. Lovely Sally!"

They sat side by side, hands not touching but hearts reaching toward each other, and the minutes slipped silently away as David drank in her moon-savored young beauty, and she fed her love-hunger upon his Viking-like handsomeness and strength. They were silently agreeing to go when a sharp, metallic voice materialized suddenly out of the hush of the darkness.

"No money! business now, Steve! I'm warning you! If you double-cross me I'll cut your heart out! Fifty-fifty and—"

The rest was lost as the couple passed on, walking swiftly, two shadows that seemed like one. The voice was Nita's.

(To be continued.)

A stranger steps upon the scene in the next chapter—someone who is interested in Sally.

Edina—A silver cup is to be awarded the resident having the most attractive lawn in Edina's third annual flower show, to be held in August.

Alumni to Banquet at Guilford May 26

White Oak Farm Club Opposes Merger. —Eggs Bring Good Price—Other Guilford News.

GUILFORD.—The annual alumni banquet will be held in the basement of the Methodist church at Guilford May 26.

W. D. McClanahan, Mr. and Mrs. Lester McClanahan and Lois Jean were St. Joseph visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hannah and family visited at Earl Campbell's Sunday.

Eggs continue a good price for this time of year. They went into cold storage around 25c per dozen, which means a good price for the rest of the summer. Those who hatched early chickens are reaping their harvest, for young broilers of 1½ to 2 pounds are bringing 40c a pound.

Mrs. Mattson and son, Edwin, visited Sunday evening at Pearl Nelson's.

A farm club meeting was held at White Oak last Tuesday evening for the purpose of voting on the proposed merger of the Farm Bureau and Farmers' Union. After discussing the advantages and disadvantages, it was agreed by the majority that they were not in favor of the proposed merger. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. John Neilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Weathermon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weathermon and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McGeorge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson, Lloyd Sherry, Willie Beggs, Ed and Lowell Whorton, Misses Nettie and Leona Whorton.

Leslie Weathermon sheared sheep for John Brady Saturday.

Teachers at Graham Off to Their Homes

Non-Resident Instructors Leave Saturday—Albert Sipes, Gene Kaufman to Work Near Kansas City.

(By Ladies Guild)

GRAHAM.—The non-resident teachers in the Graham schools returned to their homes Saturday. Superintendent Harry Haun went to Tarkio, Miss Bernice Snelling to Amity, Miss Nellie Castle to Oregon, Miss Margaret Broyles to Clearmont, Miss Ruby Par-

man to Albany, and Miss Mabel Williams to Bolckow.

Maxine Decker had for her dinner guest Thursday, Betty Vey Stiversen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Stiversen.

Albert Sipes and Gene Kaufman left Sunday for Kansas City. They have employment near there for the summer.

Miss Hazel Keller went to Clarence, Mo., last Friday for a few days' visit with relatives. Mrs. Lloyd McGinnis is assisting in the telephone office during her absence.

The union prayer meeting will be held at the Christian church Wednesday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Francis and their two children visited at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Hicks, and called on other Graham friends last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. L. Morgan, accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Sewell and son, John Sewell, jr., of Maryville, and Mrs. Kenneth B. Davis of Colby, Kan., went to Topeka, Kan., Saturday where they spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Morgan and family.

Mrs. Charles Dicken has been confined to her bed the past week. She is suffering with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hitchcock and children, and Ralph and Hazel Williams of Clarinda, Ia., visited at the Peter Noblet home Sunday. Roland Noblet returned with them to Clarinda for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller and baby and Mrs. Ella Miller of St. Joseph were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goodpasture.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wright and daughter, Phyllis, Roger Miller and daughter, Nora Mae, spent Sunday at the Harry Wright home.

Mrs. Mary Geyer and family had for their Sunday dinner guests, Mrs. Nola Daise and daughter, Ellen of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Geyer and sons, Edward, Phillip and Truman, Mr. and Mrs. John Geyer and son, Vernon. Additional guests in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sewell and family of Skidmore.

R. C. Maurer of Sunnybrook has been seriously ill for several days.

Mrs. Althea Taylor and daughter, Marietta, of Bolckow, spent the week-end at the home of her brother, J. R. Miller.

Miss Beulah Williams and Dale Lyle spent Sunday visiting relatives at Hia-

watha, Kan.

Miss Myrtle Hayzett, who is teaching at Bolckow, spent the week-end at her home here. Her school will close this week.

Miss Maxine Miller went to Bolckow Sunday evening. She went to St. Joseph Monday, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long went to St. Joseph Sunday for a visit at the home of their son, Cecil Long.

Mrs. Calvin Shores of Fillmore spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Reed Noblet. Her father, John Kennedy, and Billy Reed Noblet went home with her for a visit.

Miss Winona Zimmerman, her sisters and brother of St. Joseph, were calling on friends in Graham Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Decker and daughters, Ruth Mary, Ella Lee, and Ada Maxine, spent Sunday with Mrs. Procula Leeper and family near Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Findley of Clarinda, Ia., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Stiversen Sunday. All were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eckles and family.

Conception to Have Its May Festival

Queen to Be Crowned Monday Night.—Owen Kenneth Lynch Home.—Too Cool for Corn.

CONCEPTION JUNCTION.—The May Festival will be held at Conception parish hall next Sunday and Monday nights. Sunday night the picture, "McFadden's Flats," will be shown. Monday night, "Little Orphan Annie" will be given and the May Queen will be crowned.

Mrs. Maurice Egan, jr., attended the Daughters of Isabelle convention at St. Louis Saturday.

Owen Kenneth, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lynch, who was operated on about two weeks ago at St. Joseph's hospital for an abscess of the appendix, was brought home Thursday. He is getting along nicely.

Miss Kathryn Merrigan of Omaha, Neb., spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. William Merrigan of Clyde, and other relatives.

Mrs. Ches Curtin has been confined to her home the last week with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Miller took their little son, Bernard, to Maryville Monday for the removal of his tonsils.

Leo Archer, who was operated on some time ago, was able to be taken to his home southwest of town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Merigan and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Merigan motored to Carrollton Saturday evening to spend Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McManus spent Sunday with John E. Brady and family.

Cool nights we have been having are not good for the corn, which has been and is being planted. Most everyone in this locality will finish planting this week. Some who planted two or three weeks ago had to replant. Corn is now selling at \$1.00 per bushel.

BEDISON

Mrs. A. A. Schaffer and children, Charles and Charlene, were shopping in Omaha Friday and Saturday.

Lawrence Asher of Burlington Junction was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coulter were shopping in Maryville Saturday evening.

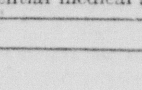
Mrs. Lee Barsballe and son, Emmett, visited Friday evening with Mrs. Mearl Thompson and daughters.

G. G. Renfro of Skidmore visited Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clester and daughter, Pauline.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wynn and son, Dale, gave a dance Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snyder and son, William and E. M. Bryant were shopping in Maryville Saturday evening.

William Clester was painting at Maryville last week and has several jobs of painting waiting for him.

Dan Reynolds and children, Gladys, Albert and Georgia, were shopping in Maryville Saturday evening.

Aaron Reynolds of Maryville visited Dan Reynolds Sunday morning.

Pauline Clester visited Louise Coulter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Devine and daughter of Council Bluffs, Ia., visited Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bryant.

Billie Snyder and Leland Thompson visited Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Mearl Thompson.

Albert Reynolds drilled corn for Noah Thompson last week.

Mrs. J. B. Snyder visited Tuesday evening with Mrs. Joe Myres and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fisher of St. Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Miller of Kansas City were on their way to Idaho and came by Thursday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bryant until Saturday morning.

Moberly to Raise Y. M. C. A. Fund. Moberly—Committees are being organized to solicit funds for the proposed \$215,000 Y. M. C. A. building here. May 21-26 has been designated as the time for the campaign.

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- 1-1925 Ford Coupe.
- 1-1925 Ford Tudor.
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St. Louis—Approximately 7,000,000 pelts valued at \$22,000,000 were shipped to St. Louis from every state in the Union during the fur season which closed recently.

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FOR SALE—Thoroughbred two-year-old Angus bull—George Neff, 9-13 Farmers.

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FOR SALE—Good baled timothy hay at farm 5 miles north on pavement Mrs. E. J. Williams, 333 East Third, Hanamo 227.

FOR SALE—Seed corn, Reid's improved dent white cap, 90-day yellow, and white corn that was picked and dried before freezing, \$2.50 bushel. Also baled horse and cattle hay—J. Ward Stevenson, Graham.

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HOUSES FOR RENT

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Kansas City Chief of Police Resigns

Friends Deny Action Caused by Report He Threatened Insurance Man While Drunk

Denver, Colo., May 15.—Chief of Police William A. Shreeve, of Kansas City, wired his resignation effective immediately to M. A. O'Donnell and Emil Koch, police commissioners, from here today.

Shreeve said in his wire: "Please accept my resignation effective at once. Apparent exaggeration over affairs there which has caused my friends embarrassment is my principal worry. I am not running away from anybody or anything."

"Sincerely, (Signed) 'William A. Shreeve.' Shreeve declined to comment on press dispatches concerning a reported gay party which Kansas City newspapers said precipitated his decision to resign.

"I am out here on a vacation," he said. "My wife will join me this afternoon. We probably will go back to Kansas City in a week or 10 days," Shreeve said.

Kansas City, Mo., May 15.—Police headquarters here today awaited formal announcements that Chief William Shreeve would resign.

Shreeve called chief of detectives L. R. Toynne by telephone from Denver, today, and said he was "going on a long trip," when he was informed publicity is being given here to a recent "incident" at the home of a local insurance man, Toynne said.

It was reported here that Toynne, now acting head of the police department, would be appointed to succeed Shreeve in the event of the latter's resignation.

Police commissioners were investigating reports that Shreeve last Friday entered the home of L. R. Choate here in an intoxicated condition and threatened the insurance man and his wife with a gun.

Friends of chief Shreeve attributed his absence to worry over his health and personal affairs.

The possible explanation that he would leave his office as an outgrowth of agitation against crime conditions was denied.

Shreeve started police work here 18 years ago as a bulletin clerk and received successive promotion until April 14, 1924, when he succeeded Chief Paul V. Woolley.

Oil Stove Explosion Causes Injury to 5

Kansas City, Mo., May 15.—A kerosene stove exploded here early today, severely burned W. D. Shannon, 36, his wife, and their three children, and destroyed their house.

Damage was estimated at more than \$3,000.

The Shannon family came here recently from Oklahoma. The fire, they said, wiped out all their possessions.

Future Farmers Organize.

Columbia—An organization to be known as the Future Farmers of Missouri was formed here recently by students attending the Vocational Agricultural Conference. John Day, of Macon, was elected president.

St. Louis Produce.

Eggs: Receipts 23½ to 27½c; Butter: extras 45c; standards 44c; firsts 40c; seconds 38c.

Cheese: Northern twins 23½c; brick 23c.

Live poultry: Hens, 24c; springers 34 to 40c; cocks 13½c; ducks 16 to 18c; geese 10c; turkeys 18 to 32c; guineas \$4.00 to \$7.00; pigeons and squabs \$2.00; veals choice 13½ to 14½c; frogs \$1.00 to \$1.75.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, May 15.—Butter: Receipts 12.814; extras, 44c; extra firsts, 43c to 43½c; firsts, 42c to 42½c; seconds, 38c to 41c; standards 44c.

Eggs: Receipts, 42.997; firsts, 28½c to 29c; ordinaries, 27c to 28c; seconds, 26½c; extras, 31½c.

Cheese: Twins, 22½c to 23c; young Americas, 23½c to 24c.

Poultry: Receipts 4 cars; fowls, 24c to 27c; Leghorns, 23c; ducks, heavy, 18c; small, 16c; geese, 14c; turkeys, 20c to 25c; roosters, 16c; broilers, 20c to 40c.

Potatoes: Arrivals 146; on track 324; in transit 660; Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, \$1.25 to \$1.40; fancy, shade up, Idaho sacked Russets, \$1.30 to \$1.45; fancy, shade higher; partly graded, \$1.10 to \$1.25; new stock slightly weaker; Louisiana, Alabama and Texas sacked Bliss Triumphs, \$2.75 to \$3; mostly, \$2.85 to \$3; No. 2, \$1.50 to \$1.65; Sweet potatoes, \$2 to \$2.75.

Cattle Steady; Hogs Lower; Sheep Lower

Kansas City Stock Yards, May 15.—Prices for fat cattle were steady and stockers and feeders were stronger. Fed steers made up a liberal per cent of the run. Butcher cattle and stockers and feeders were in limited supply. Killers were fairly anxious for the offerings and demand for thin cattle exceeded the supply. Hogs were quoted 10 cents lower than last week's decline. More eastern markets were off 10 to 15 cents due to liberal receipts. Lamb prices were steady to 25 cents lower and sheep were down 25 cents. Spring lambs sold up to \$17.75.

Monday's Receipts.

Receipts Monday were 10,000 cattle, 12,000 hogs and 12,000 sheep, compared with 10,000 cattle, 8,000 hogs and 10,000 sheep a week ago, and 12,000 cattle, 11,500 hogs and 13,875 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle

Trade in fat cattle was fairly active. Prices last week showed a moderate improvement and the market now is slightly higher than a week ago. The run carried an unusually large per cent of fed steers. This condition prevailed at all markets and it looks like steers are being marketed at such a rapid rate that a shortage will prevail later. As it is total receipts of fat cattle are short of a year ago. The best heavy steers here sold at \$14.10, and medium weights up to \$14. Steers and heifers mixed made \$13.75 and yearling steers \$14. The bulk of fed steers brought \$12.50 to \$13.50. Common natives and dogie steers sold at \$10.50 to \$11.75. All classes of butcher cattle were fully steady.

A five car bunch of 616 pound heifers sold at \$13, and smaller bunches up to \$13.25. Best cows brought \$10 to \$11. Canners and cutters sold at \$5.50 to \$7.50. Calves brought \$10 to \$14.

Stockers and Feeders.

The small supply of stockers and feeders available was snapped up at firm prices. Demand shows no indication of slackening, but the runs are materially short of requirements. The price range as about the same as it has been for some time past.

Hogs

Hog prices were 10 cents lower than last week's close and 25 to 30 cents under the extreme high point last week. Eastern markets have shown a sharper decline than more western markets. Shipping demand however remains active. The 170 to 240 pound hogs sold at \$9.60 to \$9.70; 140 to 165 pounds \$9.25 to \$9.60; 240 to 300 pounds \$9.40 to \$9.60; packing sows \$8 to \$8.50 and stock hogs and pigs \$7.50 to \$8.25.

Sheep and Lambs.

Lamb prices were steady to 25 cents lower and sheep were off 25 cents. Spring lambs sold at \$17 to \$17.75; shorn lambs \$14.50 to \$15 and shorn ewes \$8.25 to \$8.50. Texas shorn wethers brought \$6.75 to \$11.25, the latter price being paid for two year olds.

Horses and Mules.

Trade in horses and mules though better than usual at this season of the year has slowed down considerably in the past few weeks.

CHARLES M. PIPKIN.

Market Correspondent.

Chautauqua for Princeton.

Princeton—The Chamber of Commerce has made arrangements for Princeton's annual chautauqua to be held July 26-30 inclusive.

New York Produce.

New York, May 15.—Flour dull and lower.

Pork dull; mess \$32.50.

Lard easy; midwest spot, \$11.95 to \$12.05.

Sugar: Quiet, spot 96 test delivered duty paid, \$4.46; refined quiet; granulated, \$5.95 to \$6.

Coffee: Rio No. 7, on spot 15½c; Santos, No. 4, 23½c to 23½c; tallow quiet; special to extra, 8½c to 8½c.

Hay: Steady; No. 1, \$1.25; No. 3, 85c to \$1.05; clover, 75c to \$1.10.

Dressed poultry easy; turkeys, 25c to 40c; chickens, 26c to 45c; broilers, 40c to 50c; capons, 36c to 53c; fowls, 14c to 31c; ducks, 15c to 18c; ducks, Long Island, 21c.

Live poultry inactive and nominal; geese, 16c; ducks, 15c to 24c; fowls, 20c to 28c; turkeys, 20c to 30c; roosters, 14c; chickens, 18c to 33c; broilers, 20c to 53c.

Cheese: Steady; state whole milk, fancy to special, 29½c to 30c; young America, fresh, 25c to 26c.

Butter: Firm; receipts 20,952; creamery, extra, 45½c; special market, 46c to 46½c.

Eggs: Unsettled; receipts 5,690; nearby white fancy, 35c to 37c; state whites, 30c to 34½c; fresh firsts, 34c; Pacific coast, 28c; white westerns, 30c to 37½c; nearby browns, 30c to 36½c.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK.

South St. Joseph, May 15.—Hogs 5,000; market mostly 10 to 20c lower; top, \$9.50; bulk 180-250 pounds, \$9.30 to \$9.40; 260-325 pound, \$9.25 to \$9.35; sows steady, range, \$8 to \$8.75.

Cattle 2,000; calves 300; market, beef steers slow; opening about steady; yearlings fully steady; heifers and bulls strong; other killing classes little changed; stockers and feeders scarce; fed steers and yearlings, \$12.25 to \$13.35; Texas grass steers, 1100-choice heifers, \$13.25; bulk beef cows, \$8.50 to \$10.25; veal top, \$13.

Sheep 3,000; market bidding steady for California springers; asking higher; choice kinds held above \$18; few native spring lambs \$17 steady; shorn ewe top, \$8.25.

STATE POSTS ISSUE IN N. J.

HOOVER AND SMITH EXPECT TO GAIN IN PRIMARY.

2 MEETS TOMORROW

South Carolina Democrats to Choose Houston Delegates—Alabama Republicans for Hoover.

Trenton, N. J., May 15.—Republican nominations for United States Senator and Governor overshadowed in political interest all other features of the New Jersey primaries today.

Herbert Hoover will have at least a majority and probably all of the Republican national convention delegates and Governor Al Smith of New York will have the unanimous support of the Democrats. Thus the Presidential primaries are eliminated as an important factor.

The Democratic state ticket of United States Senator Edward I. Edwards to succeed himself and William L. Dill to assume the governorship finds no opposition within the party. But the Republicans are so divided on their state ticket as to threaten party harmony, whatever the outcome.

Five candidates are in the Senatorial contest, which has failed to develop a dominant issue. Discussion of prohibition has entered the campaign somewhat.

Four Republicans are seeking the gubernatorial nomination.

The entire state congressional delegation of nine Republicans and three Democrats is seeking re-election.

Carolina Democrats Meet.

Columbia, S. C., May 15.—South Carolina Democrats will meet here tomorrow to select the state's delegation to the Houston convention, with indications pointing to an unopposed group.

Recent action of supporters of Representative Cordell Hull of Tennessee may cause an upset at the convention and sending of a delegation instructed for the Congressmen.

Former Governor John Gray Evans has been active in efforts to have the delegation instructed for a "dry." As state chairman he has many supporters.

The Smith strength is unknown, although the recent drift towards the New York governor may bring unsuspected action at tomorrow's session. United States Senator Blewett will undoubtedly control the meeting. He is known to be strongly opposed to abolition of the two-third rule and has threatened to promote organization of a third party in the event the Houston convention abolishes the long standing rule.

Hoover in Alabama.

Birmingham, May 15.—Herbert Hoover is expected to gain fourteen votes as a result of tomorrow's state Republican meeting here.

Little opposition to Hoover's candidacy has been voiced among members of the party. Selection of delegates instructed for him has been accepted as a matter of course, following announcements of support by Alabama negro leaders.

Find Weather Not Affected by Tides

Washington, May 15.—The old superstition that tides exert influence on the weather has been blasted by the United States Weather Bureau.

As a matter of fact government scientists have discovered that weather conditions affect tides to some extent. Tides ebb and flow at every point on the coasts with clocklike regularity, but nevertheless the weather continues to be fair or foul irrespective of those tides.

On the other hand, conditions of a very low barometer pressure and very strong winds from favorable directions cause either unusually low or unusually high tides, as the case may be, and the weather is not the result of any tidal influence.

Girl Dies in Fire at Wittenberg Dormitory

Four Other Students Injured Before Escaping—Victim Trapped in Bathroom.

Springfield, O., May 15.—Hilda Sipes, 20, Shelby, Ohio, was burned to death and four other students of Wittenberg College were injured in a fire which swept Woodland Hall, girls' dormitory, here today.

Miss Sipes was trapped in a bathroom. She was dead when found.

Helen McClain, Troy, was severely injured in escaping from the burning building.

Twenty girls lived in the dormitory and the fire had gained such headway when discovered that they were forced to slide down sheets and improvised ropes lowered from the windows on the second floor. Origin of the blaze has not been determined.

Wild Geese at Unionville.

Unionville—A flock of 27 wild geese has been making its home at the city reservoir here for the past month.

Clinton—Corn growers of Henry County have formed the Golden Valley Corn Growers' Association.

SLOWLY DYING, NONE CAN AID

VICTIM OF RADIUM POISONING DESCRIBES SYMPTOMS.

ONE OF FIVE, WAITING

Even Slight Scratch Will Not Heal—Law Technicality Prevents Suing for Damages.

Orange, N. J., May 15.—Miss Grace Fryer, one of the five New Jersey factory workers who have been condemned by physicians to die a slow and painful death, described some of the symptoms of radium poisoning in an interview with the United Press today.

While she waits for the law to come to her aid in the \$1,250,000 damage suit which she and her former working companions have filed against the United States Radium Corporation, her bones are being disintegrated by the radium which she took into her body while painting watch dials.

"I have had nineteen operations," Miss Fryer said, "but my doctors tell me there is no hope."

13 Others Already Dead. The strange malady, for which the world of science knows no cure, has centered in Miss Fryer's right leg and in her jaw and back. She wears a large brace on her back. The poisoning is causing her to lose her teeth.

Miss Fryer estimates that she put the radium paint brush to her lips to wet it about 300 times a day between 1917 and 1920 when she and seventy other women were employed in the watch factory. Thirteen of her former working companions already have died and doctors have despaired of saving the five involved in the present suit for damages.

Redress for the condemned women is being delayed by a provision in New Jersey law which requires that suits for damages must be filed within two years after the cause of the injury. Radium poisoning, however, does not show itself until several years after it is contracted. In the case of the five women in the present suit their ailment was not diagnosed for seven years.

Still Has Hope. Miss Fryer has brown hair and eyes. At times during the interview, a smile of determination indicated she still held hope of escaping the death sentence which hangs over her head.

"The worst part of the whole thing is that I don't dare do much with my hands for fear of being scratched," she said. "The least scratch will not heal because of the radium."

Dr. Robert E. Humphries, head of the staff at Orthopedic Hospital here, concurred in the testimony of other physicians at one of the hearings on the case. Dr. Humphries has treated all five of the women.

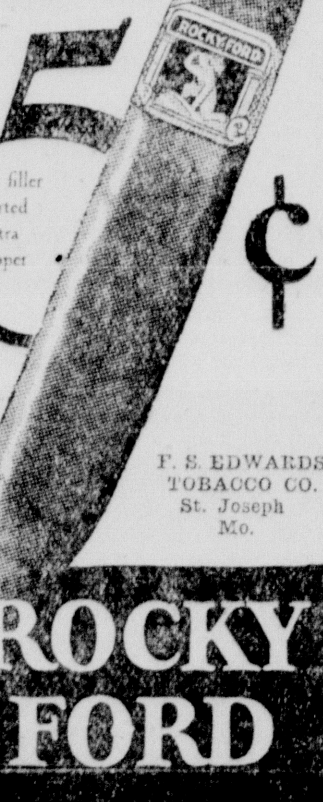
"We know they have radium in their systems," he said, "but no one yet has succeeded in developing an antidote for the disease. It may be that the radium poisoning makes them so weak as to be susceptible to other diseases. It destroys their will to live."

Cannot Be Long. "Just how long they will live, I cannot say. We do know that radium is so devastating that it cannot be long."

The next hearing on the plea of the plaintiffs to enjoin the radium company from taking refuge behind the statute of limitations has been postponed until September.

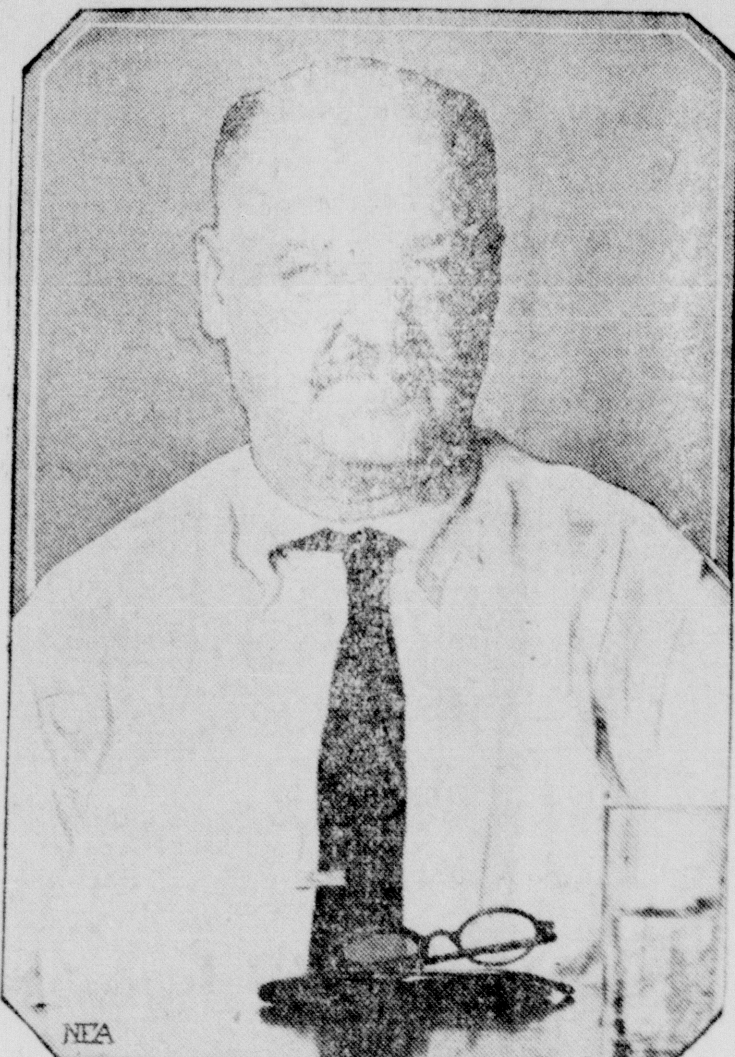
A motion by Raymond H. Berry, attorney for the complainants, seeking to have the hearing speeded up will be argued in the Newark chancery court next Wednesday.

A real 5¢ cigar is back in town



ROCKY FORD

He's Al's Best Booster



This is W. F. Kenny, who, after a varied career that included cow-punching and work as a section hand, has become multi-millionaire and a close associate of Governor Al Smith. Before a senate committee investigating the campaign expenses of presidential candidates it was brought out that Kenny gave \$20,000 and loaned \$50,000 to the Smith campaign.

Party Conventions Denounced in 1844

Charges by John C. Calhoun Strangely Similar to Those Being Heard Today.

By Rodney Dutcher. NEA Service Writer.

Washington May 15.—John C. Calhoun, ex-vice president, ex-secretary of state and ex-senator has issued a scathing denunciation of nominating conventions, charging that they are under the direct control of the politicians and not representative of the people.

Of course Calhoun's charges were made in 1844, when there were such things as deadlocks, dark horses, smoky hotel room nominations and all sorts of political intrigues, so to all persons who believe that such things never happen any more at national conventions his views will now seem quaint indeed. To others his complaint may sound rather familiar.

Mr. Calhoun's remarks were addressed to his friends in advance of a Democratic national convention which was to nominate a very mediocre dark horse after blocking the favorite by the two-thirds rule. He charged that the convention would be controlled by "political managers, office holders and office seekers," and demanded universal election of delegates by the people.

Opposed State Conventions.

He objected to appointment of delegates by state conventions—the method used in many states today—after county and district politicians had named the state convention delegates.

"Instead of being directly or fresh from the people the delegates at the Baltimore convention will be the delegates of delegates," he said, "and of course removed in all cases at least three, if not four, degrees from the people. At each successive remove the voice of the people will become less full and distinct, until at last, it will be so faint and imperfect, as not to be audible."

"To drop metaphor, I hold it impossible to form a scheme more perfectly calculated to annihilate the control of the people over the presidential election, and vest it in those who make politics a trade, and who live or expect to live on the government."

Congress Responsible.

Calhoun, who had opposed the old system of congressional caucus nominations as unrepresentative, had later decided that they were a hundred times better than the "intriguing, juggling, corrupt and packed machinery" into which they had already degenerated. Congress, he said, was at least responsible to the people; the political bosses were not.

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Ruth Ahead of His 1927 Homer Record

Ninth Circuit Smash Yesterday Puts Him Two Games Up—Gehrig Far Behind.

New York, May 15.—Babe Ruth is off to a flying start in quest of a new home run record.

Hitting his ninth home run of the season yesterday off Elam Vangilder of the Tigers, Ruth today was three days and two games ahead of his 1927 record. The Bambino did not hit No. 9 last year until his 27th game against Detroit on May 17.

When the Bambino hung up his record of sixty home runs last season, the baseball world agreed that it would stand for many years and might never be shattered under the same existing conditions. Yet here the Babe comes back the very next season swinging along at a faster clip than his record-breaking pace of a year ago.

Ruth did not get his first home run this season until the second game of a double-header at Boston April 19. Several other sluggers, including Joe Hauser of the Athletics, stole a march on the Babe, but it did not take him long to catch up.

Lou Gehrig, Babe's teammate and friendly rival, hit his seventh homer of the 1927 season on May 7 and his eighth on May 10. Thus far Gehrig has hit only five home runs.

In twenty-one games Joe Hauser, the Athletics' first baseman, has hit seven home runs.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD.

By United Press

Yesterday's Hero: Jimmy Fox, Athletics' young catcher, who hit a home run with two teammates on base as a pinch hitter in the tenth inning, giving Philadelphia its first victory of the season over the Cleveland Indians, 6 to 3. Lefty Grove fanned 11 men, winning his fifth game of the year.

Although out of it, 8 to 11, the New York Yankees won their third straight game from the Detroit Tigers, 7 to 5. Babe Ruth hit home run No. 9 off Vangilder.

Charley Root puzzled the New York Giants, the Chicago Cubs winning their ninth straight and third in a row from the Giants, 8 to 1. It was Root's fourth victory of the season.

Chick Hafey got four hits and the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Boston Braves, 4 to 3. Hafey drove in the tying and winning runs in the ninth.

The first place Cincinnati Reds gained a little on the other leaders, beating the Phillies, 8 to 4. Luque was effective after the first inning when the Phillies scored four runs.

By beating the Pittsburgh Pirates, 7 to 6, the Brooklyn Robins went into a deadlock with the Corsairs for fifth

place in the National League.

The Boston Red Sox won their third game in a row, defeating the St. Louis Browns, 3 to 2. Ed Morris, Red Sox rookie outpitched Sam Gray. The victory hoisted the Red Sox to sixth place. The Washington Senators won from the Chicago White Sox, 4 to 2.

WHAT THE OUTSTANDING STARS DID YESTERDAY.

By United Press

Babe Ruth hit his ninth home run of the season in two official times at bat and scored two runs.

Lou Gehrig failed to hit safely in three times up but scored one run. Ty Cobb got three singles in five times up, and scored one run.

Tris Speaker failed to hit safely in four times up.

Harry Heilmann drove in three runs with a home run and a sacrifice in three time up and scored one run himself.

Rogers Hornsby singled once in twice at bat and scored two runs.

Paul Waner walked three times and scored one run in one official time at bat.

Kiki Cuyler, out of game.

Prince Carol to Be Admitted to France

Paris, May 15.—Prince Carol of Roumania, who is expected to leave England this week, will be able to return to France provided he does not make plans while here to cause any political disturbances in his native country. It was learned in reliable quarters today.

Carol spent most of his time, after renouncing the Roumanian throne, in France. He lived both in Paris and on the Riviera.

Glenna Collett Into Third Round of Golf

Hunstanton, Eng., May 15.—Miss Glenna Collett, twice American women's champion, today passed triumphantly through the third round of the British women's open golf championship.

Miss Collett beat Mrs. Temple Dobell, a skillful British veteran, 4 up and 2 to go. Mrs. Dobell was open champion in 1912.

Miss Elizabeth Curtis of Clinton, Ia., and Mrs. Stewart Hanley, of Detroit, also survived the third round.

Mrs. D. Campbell Hurd, of Philadelphia, the remaining American entrant, defeated Mil E. Dian Esmond, of France 6 and up and 5 to go in their third round match.

So far there has been but one American casualty—Miss Miller, of Oakland Hills, who was beaten yesterday by Miss Elizabeth Williamson.

Miss Collett now faces an apparently smooth path up to the final, when she is expected to meet Miss Enid Wilson, the best British competitor.

Survey of Rosendale Outlet Road Finished

Rosendale, Mo., May 15.—The state highway commission has completed the survey of State Highway No. 48, through Rosendale, southwest to U. S. Highway No. 71, Highway No. 48 begins at King City, eighteen miles east of here, and joins Highway No. 71 here. When the right-of-way is completed, Rosendale will then have an all-weather outlet to route 71.

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